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Coming Events

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10 Numismatic Soc. of China mtg. 5.30
10 K.D.S. Bridge/Mahjongg, 667 Bourgeat 3.30, 70359 for reservations
10 A.A.U.W. Special meeting for hospital work, 7 Garnier, 3.30
11 Ex-Servicemen's dinner (British), S.R.C. 7.30
11 For. Y. debates resumed, 8.30
13 "Chardash Princess" (Silva) Lyc. 8
14 "Chardash Princess" (Silva) Lyc. 8
16 For. Y. lectures resumed, 8.30
18 **'Someone at the Door', A.D.C. Lyc., 8.30**
19 For. Y. musical programme, 8.30
19 **'Someone at the Door', A.D.C. Lyc., 8.30**
20 **'Someone at the Door', A.D.C. Lyc., 8.30**
20 Armoured Car Co., S.V.C., dinner, 7.30
26 Le Ballet Russe, Lyceum, 8.30
27 Le Ballet Russe, Lyceum, 8.30
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CHINA'S FRIENDS

The Aim of an Article

To the Editor of the
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SIR,—While appreciating your reference this morning to an article appearing in the current issue of "The People's Tribune," may I point out that your friendly remarks seem likely to cause some misapprehension in the minds of those who have not read the article. It is suggested by you that we have taken pains to show "appreciation of friendly words from distinguished Japanese leaders," but if that is the impression created in your mind, I fear we have not made our object quite clear. That intention was to answer Japanese charges against China of hostility and insincerity by calling not Chinese but Japanese witnesses to show the utter falsity of those allegations.

In the first place, the article under notice is entitled "Japanese Critics of Japan's Aggression," and our object in quoting the pre-war statements of Japanese statesmen, diplomats, and businessmen was to show that Japan's repeated assertions—since hostilities started—that her policy toward China during recent years was friendly had been severely criticized by influential Japanese commentators, whose views on the trend of events fully confirm the attitude which has been taken by responsible spokesmen of the National Government in stating China's case. Secondly, these Japanese criticisms of their country's policy were not intended to show "sympathy with China's difficulties" so much as condemnation of the mailed-fist policy which had been followed by Japan in her dealings with China.

That the Japanese opinions quoted express sympathy with China's difficulties is true, but from our point of view that is a secondary issue; the main point it is wished to emphasize is that eminent and influential Japanese holding important official and unofficial positions have vigorously denounced Japan's aggressive policy in dealing with China, have condemned "dual diplomacy," have expressed appreciation of China's sincerity in seeking to settle Sino-Japanese differences, have insisted upon fair play and mutual respect, have criticized "hot-blooded young (Japanese) officials abroad" for intensifying anti-Japanese sentiment in China, have declared that Japan's policy was not conducive to co-operation, have denounced military interference in diplomatic affairs, and in other ways have frankly expressed the opinion that if Japan wanted to establish real friendship with China, she "had adopted the wrong tacticts." That Japanese witnesses testify these things is, in my opinion, a complete refutation of Japan's subsequent pretence that she is the unoffending victim of Chinese hostility.

Certainly we appreciate the friendly sympathy for China shown by these Japanese critics, but what we regard as much more important is their emphatic denunciation of the policy followed by the Japanese Government in dealing with China, and their frank warnings that friendly relations between their country and ours can never be established unless China was approached with an open heart instead of empty words. Hence the title of the article, "Japanese Critics of Japan's Aggression."

TANG LEANG-LI.

Shanghai, Nov. 6.

CHIEF SCOUT PLANS TO VISIT AFRICA

Hopes to Attend New South Wales Jamboree 1939

Lord Baden-Powell, the Chief Scout, who celebrated his 80th birthday this year, hopes to visit South Africa and Rhodesia during the winter, and in 1939 he plans to be present at a big jamboree in New South Wales, states the "Evening Standard."

Rumours that he is feeling the strain of life and intends to retire from scouting activities were officially denied to-day.

When Lord Baden-Powell was speaking at the world jamboree in Holland this year, he said:

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At the end of May he hopes to attend the London 'Over the Border' Rally and at the beginning of June he will be travelling to Scotland. Towards the end of June he intends to visit the Irish Free State and in July he will go to Ulster. Later in July he will be in North Wales.

The Chief Scout is still fond of travelling and he is certain that his health will permit him to carry out the scouting programme which is so dear to his heart."

SEAMEN PICKET DANISH SHIP DUE EAST

San Pedro, Nov. 3.

Members of the Scandinavian Seamen's Club picketed the Danish mw. Marchenmaersk to-day after the vessel, en route to the Philippines and Chinese and Japanese ports, signed on a Filipino crew when its regular seamen demanded a bonus of $100 each for entering Japanese ports, or $200 for entering Chinese. —United Press.

TO-DAY'S CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral: Nov. 7.—24th Sunday after Trinity —Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Sermon 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 135, Lessons: Proverbs 1, 20-end: St. Luke XVI. Harwood in A flat. Hymns: 180 532, 169. Preacher: The Dean. Holy Communion 11.45 a.m. Exensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm 91. Lessons: Proverbs II. St. John IX. Hymns: 38,228, 32. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell L. Th. Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8.00 a.m. Mattins and Sermon 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 84 Lessons: Proverbs VIII, 1-21; St. Luke XVII. 1-19. Garrett in D. Hymns: 437, 304 Preacher: Rev. P.C. Matthews, M.A., Holy Communion, 11.45 a.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 16 Lessons: Proverbs IX; St. John X. Hymns: 298, 176, 27. Preacher: The Dean.

Bubbling Well Chapel: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th., 6 p.m. November 11 Armistice Day. — Holy Communion 7.30 a.m. Specially arranged Service. 10.45 a.m. Under the auspices of the United Services' Association. Preacher: The Dean.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational). — Acting Minister: Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—Morning Worship in Bubbling Well Chapel at 10.45. Preacher, Mr. F. H. B. Harmon. Following this service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed, the Rev. Alex. Baxter officiating.

Community Church. Non-Sectarian. International. All are welcome. 53 Avenue Petain, opposite the American School. Sunday Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Mr. Luccock's theme: "Take it. It's yours!" Dr. Young at the organ. Anthem: "Blessed are the merciful." Sacrament of Holy Communion. Come and bring friends. All departments of the Church School at 9:30. Kindergarten through Senior High School in the American School. Adult group in the Manse Parlor, led by Mr. Hudspeth. Theme: "Prayer does work!" Governing Board at 10:30 in the Church Parlor to receive new members into the fellowship of the Church. Women's Auxiliary Covered Dish Luncheon in the Manse, Monday noon at 12:15. Chaplain Hamilton will speak, "How tolerant can we be?" Committee on Annual Workers' Conference Tuesday noon at 12:15 in the private dining room, Foreign Y.M.C.A. Choir rehearsal Tuesday evening at 8:15. Cubs and Camp Fire Girls Wednesday afternoon at 3:30; Boy Scouts at 5:00; Women's Non Sectarian, International Fellowship of Prayer at 4:00 in the Manse; Midweek fellowship at 8:15 in the Manse. Community Church family swim in the pool of the Navy Y.M.C.A., 630 Szechuen Road, Friday afternoon at 5:15. Bring swimming suits, towels, the whole family and friends. No charge.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning Service will be held at "The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10.15 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. The Paster, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Ph. D., will preside. No evening service.

Shanghai Free Christian Church (Evangelical) 681 Hart Road. The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. G. W. Gibb, M.A. Evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. M. H. Hutton. Services during the week:—Monday at 5.45 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. A welcome extended to members of the Foreign Defence Force.

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8.15 and 10.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m.

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First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai, 1647, Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject: "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting Wednesday 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7.30 and 9 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (35 Tatung Road) Sunday: Masses at 7 and 8.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6.45.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road) Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (730 Kiaochow Road) Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Fellowship of the Air. Programme Nov. 7-13. Sunday 10.30 a.m. Holy Trinity Cathedral Service. Evening Message with Songs 8-8.40 p.m. Dr. Lee Huizenga Beginning Monday, each day of the week. Sacred Music and Hymns 1-1.30 p.m. Classical Music each day 5.30-6 p.m. Special Bible Talks with Hymns, each evening 9.05-9.45 p.m. Dr. Lee Huizenga of Jukao, Ku. New Frequency 760 KC. New Wavelength 394.6 Meters. All are invited to "Tune in."

"The Hut." 495 Yu Yuen Road.—Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher Mr. W. J. Embery.

Deutsche Kirche Sonntag. den 7. November vormittags 10.30 Uhr Gottesdienst.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF NOVEMBER 7, 1877

We reprint from a New York paper, a report of the late international rifle match, between English and American teams, which we commend for perusal, as a record of the most marvellous shooting the world has yet seen. The Americans won by 92 points with a score of 3,334, against their adversaries 3,242; and the closeness of the competition is scarcely less remarkable than the splendid scoring. Anything less than a bull's eye seems to have been regarded as a misfortune, and we find one of the Americans (Bruce) making, on the last day, 219 out of a possible 225. The English were evidently just overmatched, man for man, it is no disgrace to have been beaten where such magnificent shooting was made by all concerned.

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The Peking "Gazette" of October 16, contains a memorial from the Governor of Shantung, reporting the miserably inadequate provision made last winter for the relief of the distress in Shantung; and the suffering and loss of life entailed.

A 9 year old boy was recently charged at Birmingham Juvenile Court with setting fire to St. Alban's Church, Birmingham. In a statement to the police the boy said "In the church I knelt down and said my prayers. I went out, then came back and struck a match and set fire to some books."

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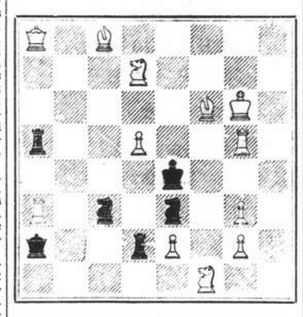
PROBLEM No. 80

BY J. MONTGOMERIE



White plays and mates in two moves. (This composer represented Scotalnd in the Team Tournament at Stockholm.)

Answer to Prob. No. 79

White: K on K1; Q on QKt5; B's on KKt5, 6. Black: K on K3; R on QR1; Kt on QR3; P's on QKt5; KKt2. Three moves. Key B — B4. Threat 2. Q — B6ch. K — K2, 3. Q — Q6.

Black	White
1. Kt — Kt1	2. Q — K5ch
K — Q2	3. Q — K8
1. R — QB1	2. Q — K5ch
K — Q2	3. Q — Q6
1. R — Q1	2. Q — KB5ch
K — K2	3. Q — B7
1. K — K2	2. Q — Q5
etc.	

The four model mates by Q and two B's are museum specimens, but the Black play which introduces them is unusual and attractive. Variation No. 1 shows an anticipatory Black interference, and the two following variations anticipatory Black self-blocks. The Key takes away a flight and gives two to the K, and it is therefore on the credit side.

The following submitted correct solutions to Prob. No. 79:—J. Lindner, J. Lawrence Rozario and C.R.D.

Stockholm Tournament

RUY LOPEZ

White	Black
Keres (Estonia)	Euwe (Holland)
1. P — K4	P — K4
2. Kt — KB3	Kt — QB3
3. B — Kt5	P — QR3
4. B — R4	Kt — B3
5. Castles	Kt × P
6. P — Q4	P — QKt4
7. B — Kt3	P — Q4
8. P × P	B — K3
9. P — B3	B — K2
10. B — K3	Kt — R4
11. Kt — Q4	Castles
12. P — B3	Kt — B4
13. P — KB4 (a)	Kt(B4) × B
14. Kt × Kt	Kt — B5
15. B — Q4 (b)	B — KB4 (c)
16. R — B2	P — QR4
17. Kt — B5	P — R5
18. Q — QB1 (d)	Q — K1
19. Kt — Q2	Q — B3
20. P — QKt4	P × P e.p.
21. Kt (Q2) × P	R — R6 (e)
22. P — Kt4	B — K5!
23. P — B5	B — B5
24. Kt × B	P × Kt
25. R — KKt2	KR — QR1
26. Kt — B5 (f)	Kt × P
27. B × Kt	Q × Ktch
28. B — Q4	Q — Q4
29. Q — B4	P — B4
30. B × KtP (g)	K × B
31. P — Kt5	R × BP
32. Q × B	Q × BP
33. Q — R6ch	K — Kt1
34. Q — QB6	R — Q1
35. Q × KtP	R(B6) — Q6
36. R — KB1	R — Q8
37. R — KB2	Q — Kt5ch
38. K — R1 (h)	P — K6!
39. R × P	P — K7
40. Q — Kt3	R × Rch
41. R × Rch	P — B5 (i)
42. Resigns	

(a) A more promising line is to preserve the KB by B — B2; then Kt — B5, 14. B — B1! Kt × KP, 15. P — QKt4, Kt — Kt2, 16. P — KB4, with a strong attack.

(b) He prevents Black's normal P — QB4, but loses time in developing the Q side.

(c) Not yet Kt × KtP, because of 16. Q — B2, followed by P — B5.

(d) All this trouble, to get out the QKt! There is something rotten in the state of the Estonian game.

(e) The Q side is clamped down by Euwe. Nothing is left to Keres but a K side gamble.

(f) Otherwise his Q is tied to the first rank, because of R × Kt.

(g) The only hope, which fails against the champion's exact play.

(h) Or R — KKt2, Q — R4, threatening R × Rch.

(i) A neat finish to a masterly game.

Another Championship Match

NIMZOVITSCH DEFENCE

White	Black
Atkins	Michell
1. P — Q4	Kt — KB3
2. P — QB4	P — K3
3. Kt — QB3	B — Kt5
4. Q — B2	P — Q4
5. P — K3	Castles
6. Kt — B3	P — B4
7. B — Q3 (a)	QP × P
8. B × BP	Kt — B3
9. P × P	B × P (b)
10. Castles	P — QR3
11. P — QR3	Q — B2 (c)
12. P — QKt4	B — Q3
13. B — K2	Kt — K4
14. P — R3	B — Q2
15. B — Kt2	QR — B1
16. QR — B1	Kt — B5 (d)
17. B × Kt	Q × B
18. KR — Q1!	B — Kt1 (e)
19. Q — Kt1 (f)	Q — B2
20. Kt — Q5	Q — Q1
21. R × R	Resigns (g)

(a) It is interesting to notice that Mr. Atkins refuses to lose a partial tempo by P — QR3 in such positions.

(b) Q — K2 looks good, holding the pin for a while.

(c) The natural process seems to be P — QKt4, followed by B — Kt2.

(d) So his Q gains territory, but it is No Woman's Land.

(e) Kt — Kt1 is no better; e.g., 19. Q — Kt1, Q — B2, 20. Kt — K4, B — B3 (or Q — Kt1), 21. Kt × B, Kt × Kt, 22. B — K5, KR — K1, 23. Q × Q3.

(f) With a deadly threat of Kt — Q5 Q moves. Kt — K7ch or Kt × Kt. If Q — Kt6, she is curiously trapped by 20. Kt — Q2.

(g) Either Q × R or B × R losing the Q.—"Observer."

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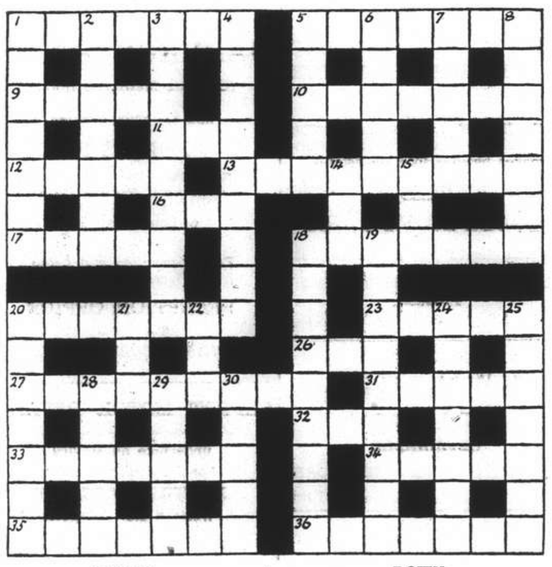
SUNDAY CROSS WORD No. 468



ACROSS

1 Tree that sounds Hebraically youthful
5 Flourishing suggestion of food for the enthusiast
9 To be seen in the heavens when I have retired apparently
10 The troops leading this are in the middle of it
11 This King is sickly
12 Language that is nothing more than a plant
13 What is wrong is right here
16 Fish about this to provide
17 His function is certainly to keep things straight
18 A means of applying the closure
20 In this one might take one's pick
23 This is in bloom
26 He finished off Galileo
27 After burial 11 across should this
31 To this birds are wont to go
32 This tress is not always of hair
33 The prisoner who concealed a label in his stockings
34 Sing about this for parting
35 A sick person usually is, but may not be
36 Real net variation

DOWN

1 Mostly pertaining to the eye, but not at all serious
2 Association of man and lion only in name
3 A medley
4 Left from rag in mine
5 Some Spaniards want nothing more than this foreign money
6 This is at no time to be found in fine verses
7 Feminine name
8 He made his mark at the last General Election
14 This set is merely a beginning
15 Not a bad blow
18 An overworked sailor may save a King from defeat
19 Nero up top in timely guise
20 Is this ever of striking value in animal training?
21 To be seen on a new three-halfpenny stamp
22 A fair palindrome
24 Curious as to the heart, and subjected to sole pressure
25 A tiller in other shape
28 Stones in old jewellery may be this
29 Foolish
30 Wide awake

The solution will be published to-morrow

ENGLAND'S DECAYING CATHEDRALS

Southwark a Fine Gothic Structure in Danger

COMPLETELY EXAMINED LAST YEAR

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

London, Oct. 11.

Yet another of England's old historic cathedrals is in danger. Recently attention has been drawn to the bad state of Lincoln, Winchester and Wells Cathedral and now we hear that Southwark bathedral which has been shamefully neglected in the past, is in danger of being demolished unless a fund of £25,000 can be raised to save it.

A century ago the nave of this lovely medieval example of Gothic architecture, fell into such decay that it had to be demolished. Now there is danger that the choir and transepts, the only original remaining part of it will share the same fate. Unlike most ancient cathedrals, Southwark has no endowments for maintenance of the fabric, and in recent times the unpaid Chapter has had to rely on occasional gifts to do work ordered by the architect as absolutely necessary.

In 1936 Mr. W. G. Allen, the cathedral architect, carried out a complete examination. He found that work costing some £7,500 was urgently necessary, and of this amount £2,000 has already been spent. Mr. Allen estimates that a minimum of £1,000 a year is required to preserve the oldest Gothic cathedral in London. It is to produce such an annual income and to provide for immediate commitments that an appeal for £25,000 has been launched.

Southwark Cathedral has longed stirred the imagination of the Londoner and the appeal should not be hard to raise. No church is linked with more famous English writers. This is the cathedral of Chaucer and of Oliver Goldsmith. There Philip Massinger and John Fletcher, live in the same grave, and Edward Alleyn and Alexander Cruden also were associated with the church.

MEDICAL RELIEF TO CHINA

Communist M. P. Suggests Further Increase

London, Nov. 3.

A further increase in the supply of medical necessities for China, "in view of the heavy casualties caused among Chinese civilians by Japanese bombardments of open cities" was suggested by Mr. William Gallacher, Communist member for West Fife, at question-time in the House of Commons to-day.

Lord Cranborne, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said the United Kingdom representative took the initiative in this at the meeting of the Council Committee for collaboration between the League of Nations and China. Out of Swiss Frs. 2,000,000 voted, he declared, Frs. 1,370,000 would be supplied from China's subscription to the League, which would otherwise have gone to the League's ordinary budget. This was China's contribution.

Asked by Mr. J. C. Wedgwood, Labour member for Newcastle-under-Lyme, why this had been reserved for epidemic relief, the Foreign Under-Secretary replied that the amount was limited.—Reuter.

FRENCH CRUISERS TO LEAVE FOR EAST

Paris, Nov. 4.

The fourth French cruiser division consisting of the Georges Leygues, Gloire and Montcalm "will leave Brest on December 1 for a lengthy cruise in the Far East touching on Algiers, Port Said, Djibouti, Colombo, Singapore and Saigon where the squadron will arrive on January 11. —Trans-Ocean.

ARRESTS FOLLOW TRAIN SMASH IN BRAZIL

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 4.

Many arrests were made in connection with a train collision yesterday at Mesquita, in which seven persons were killed and 70 injured. A Communist plot is suspected, as most of the victims were Green Shirts returning home after a mass meeting.—Reuter.

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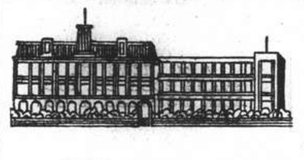

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From Footlights and Films—Abroad and Here

CURRENT FILMS

NANKING.—"London By Night."—Most of the action is laid in dark London streets and fogs. A strange plot to capture a baronet's valuable pearls by frightening him with bizarre disappearance of his friends. Intimate glimpses into Scotland Yard and London newspaperdom embellish the new detective story. George Murphy and Rita Johnson have the leading roles. Opens to-day.

GRAND.—"Varsity Show."—Reading, rioting and rhythmatics to the tune of toetickling melodies. More songs, more laughs, more girls, more new ideas than any show since "42nd St." Starring Dick Powell, Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians, Ted Healy, Walter Catlett, Priscilla Lane, Johnny Davis, Rosemary Lane and Buck and Bubbles. Reviewed yesterday.

CATHAY.—"Head Over Heels In Love."—With Jessie Matthews, Louis Borell, Robert Flemyng, Whitney Boufne and a big cast of lovely girls. A gay Parisian romance, with Gordon and Revel song hits, dazzling dances, glittering sets, sparking comedy and saucy situation. Reviewed yesterday.

METROPOL.—"New Faces of 1937."—Talent recruited from the entertainment parts of the world. Several of the popular radio notables including Joe Penner, Milton Berle, Parkyakarkus and Harriet Hilliard are to be seen in the principal roles in this initial new talent revue. Reviewed elsewhere.

FILMS COMING

"Back in Circulation."—A forthright, vigorous tale of mystery and murder as viewed from the editorial room of a paper that prints all the news no matter whom it hurts. With Pat O'Brien, Joan Blondell, Margaret Lindsay (in the best role she has ever enacted), John Litell, Eddie Acuff, Craig Reynolds, Walter Byron and Regis Toomey. Coming next to the **GRAND**.

"Wild Money."—When a penny-pinching accountant suddenly finds himself on the spending end of things, he is liable to go off the handle—specially if the mean one in question happens to be Edward Everett Horton. Supporting the star in his mad career are Louise Campbell, Lynne Overman, Porter Hall, Esther Dale and Lucien Littlefield. Coming next to the **CATHAY**.

"Smiling Through."—Starring Norma Shearer and Fredric March in a sentimental story of a man, who unable to forget a tragedy which happened fifty years earlier in life, seekes to gain vengeance by thwarting the son of the man who destroyed his happiness. Soon at the **NANKING**.

"Mountain Music."—A fast action, comedy-packed story with a background of melodies singable, swingable, weird and wild. Hillbillies in love and in trouble—mostly the latter. With Bob Burns, Martha Raye, John Howard, Terry Walker and a large cast of talented variety performers. Coming soon to the **CATHAY**.

"Married Before Breakfast."—Robert Young and Florence Rice are the principals in the light-hearted, laugh-provoking romantic comedy. Robert Young portrays a happy-go-lucky playboy who tries to find a husband for Miss Rice but in the end decides that he is the best man for the job himself. Coming to the **NANKING**.

"Wild and Woolly."—Jane Withers, Walter Brennan, Pauline Moore, Douglas Fowley, Carl "Alfalfa" Switzer, Jack Searl, Berton Churchill, Robert Wilcox and Douglas Scott. Jane's out where the West begins—only she begins where the West leaves off. Packed with comedy and thrills, it's the little star's fastest, funniest to date. Coming to the **GRAND**.

"The Man in Blue."—A powerful and inspiring story hate and love; of distrust and suspicion; of faith and redemption. Through this is woven a beautiful romance which makes a man's life worth while again. Robert Wilcox, Nan Grey, Edward Ellis, Frank Morgan and Alma Kruger. A **NANKING** booking.

"That Certain Woman."—Bette Davis, Henry Fonda, Ian Hunter, Anita Louise and Donald Crisp. The tensely thrilling, poignant and powerful tale of a woman's struggle to bury her past and of her battle for the happiness of the man she loves. Surpassing even her performance in "Marked Woman". A **CATHAY** booking.

"High, Wide and Handsome."—A hard-fighting, thrill-studded drama of America's first oil boom, with a background of lovely songs by Oscar Hammerstein II and Jerome Kern. The huge cast is headed by Irene Dunne, Randolph Scott, Dorothy Lamour, Akim Tamiroff, Raymond Walburn, Charles Bickford, Ben Blue, Elisabeth Patterson and William Frawlwey. Coming to the **GRAND**.

"Legion of Terror."—Sensational picture dealing with the activities of the hooded organization. Bruce Cabot, Marguerite Churchill and Crawford Weaver are featured. C.C. Coleman, Jun., directed. Coming to the **METROPOL**.

"Sing and be Happy."—"Dirty work" in the advertising business forms the happy, hilarious framework for another of those popular 20th Century Fox musical romances. With Anthony Martin, Leah Ray, John Davis, Helen Westley, Allan Lane and Dixie Dunbar. Coming to the **CATHAY**.

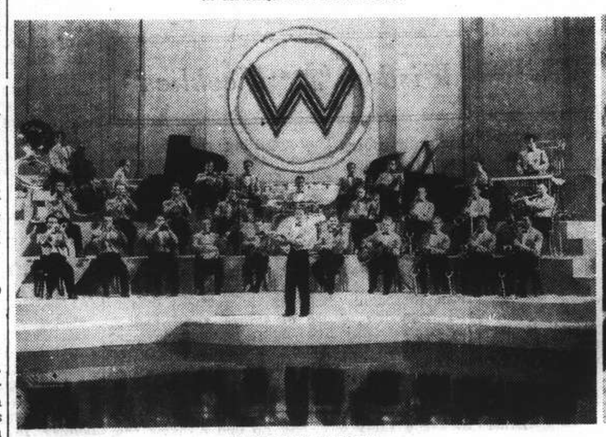
Georges Rigaud, Argentine-born French actor, is now in Hollywood and preparing to appear in his first American-made film. Georges, in case you don't know, was originally brought from France by Paramount to be Marlene Dietrich's leading man in her next picture, tentatively titled, "Midnight," but Marlene's picture will not be ready until later in the year and in the meantime Georges will get a chance to start his Hollywood career.

"NEW FACES OF 1937"

A smart programme is being presented at the Metropol Theatre to-day, with such players as Joe Penner, Harriet Hilliard, Parkyakarkus and Milton Berle in an American radio revue.

"LONDON BY NIGHT"

The Nanking Theatre as from to-day boasts an American interpretation of of the British metropolis. George Murphy and Rita Johnson have the support of an outstanding cast, who lend genuine atmosphere.



"VARSITY SHOW"

At the Grand to-day Dick Powell holds forth wih his melodious voice. Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians are by no means the least of the associated players—their music is phenomenol.

"HEAD OVER HEELS IN LOVE"

With Jessie Matthews in the leading role, the Cathay management points with pride to their current attraction. Among the supporting players are Louis Borell, Robert Flemyng and Whitney Bourne.

ROBERT DONAT'S NEW VENTURE

To Come Back in "The Citadel": Hollywood's Amazing Offers

After a film-less year Robert Donat is coming back and is going to star in the film of Dr. Cronin's best-selling novel, "The Citadel," writes Stephen Watts to the "Sunday Express."

He will play Andrew Manson, the young doctor who rose to Harley-street from the Rhondda Valley—the character which enabled Cronin to blow the roof off the racketeering in his own former profession.

With more than 100,000 copies of the novel sold up to the present, Manson is probably the best-known character in current fiction.

Donat is enthusiastic about the part with which he is to come back.

"If ever we had the chance to make a great British film," he said to me, "here it is."

The making of the film will start early next year. It will then be nearly eighteen months since Donat last appeared before the cameras. That was for "Knight Without Armour."

It is two years since he made "The Ghost Goes West."

Since then his haunting illness—asthma—has caused him to drop out of two films at the last moment. They were "Sabotage," with Sylvia Sidney, and "South Riding," which Victor Saville has just completed.

Outdoor Life Aids Recovery

But early this year, just as he was about to start "South Riding," he fell ill again with the old trouble. He recovered quickly, and ever since has been treating himself, with no medical aid. He has been living an outdoor life in his country house in the Chilterns.

His days have been spent in gardening, walking, swimming, riding, playing tennis. His first words to me on the telephone from Buxton, where he has gone to see the play festival, were, "I am very well."

With that refreshing detachment about the fortunes which are constantly being dangled before him, Donat remarked mildly to me, "These Hollywood offers get bigger and bigger."

That means they must be exceeding the previous bids for his services which, had he accepted, would have brought him a minimum of £90.000 a year. He also said that he has been reading plays, and after "The Citadel" he will make another venture in actor management in London. The last one cost him £3.000.

Hal Roach came into the news last week with the announcement that he is to partner Mussolini's son in producing operatic films at the new (and, I am told, almost Wellsianly magnificent) Rome studios.

Roach's reputation is based almost entirely on his skill in comedy-making. Indeed, it is only recently that he has even tackled full-length comedy with any pretensions toward sophistication. Previously he has concentrated on slapstick of the Harold Lloyd and Laurel and Hardy type.

Partnered Lloyd

Anyhow, it's a long jump from this sort of thing to "Rigoletto," which is to be Roach's first Roman production. And it is a still long jump from the early employments of the swarthy little comedy kind.

He moved down to California and, for some obscure reason, suddenly left the transport world and took a job in a film studio as a "stock cowboy" at £5 a week. Then he met Harold Lloyd, and between them they raised enough money to make a short film which they sold for £170—and cleared a profit.

That gave them both capital and courage to go into production together and make the series of Lonesome Luke comedies, which was Lloyd's first bid for screen fame. That particular venture was not a success, but both men have found success since, and in their middle forties are wealthy and powerful.

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TOWER.—Cathay Hotel, dining and dancing. Freddy Kaufmann, Jean Kirk, Fina Rox and Eric de Reynier.

THE BALLET RUSSE

Alla Nedler has a big part at the Lyceum the last week of this month.

"THREE GRENADIERS"

This trio, together with the remainder of the ballet, will repeat their military number at the Arcadia next week.

"BAYADERA" AT THE LYCEUM TO-NIGHT

When such personalities as Miss K. Orlovskaya and Mr. V. Valin appear in any Shanghai production, its success is assured—to wit, their outstanding performances last night with the Russian Light Opera in "Bayadera" at the Lyceum Theatre. E. Kalman's libretto and lyrics seem to have been built for such a person as Orlovskaya and the enthusiastic audience at yesterday's presentation by no means were lacking in their appreciation of the star's artistic ability. Valin, whose lines did not come up to the standard of Capt. Krag, in "Marion's Wedding," nevertheless dominated when he appeared.

Mr. Slobodsky did justice to his role, his beautiful tenor voice never failing, while Miss Nevskaya in a comparatively small part, delighted in her interpretation. Fantastic comedy added relief, as played by Mr. W. Tourenin.

To the foreign members of the audience, Miss Dora Yanover's Hindu dance made the greatest appeal, although the Astor Trio in an Oriental adagio ran her a close second. Volsky's ballet interpreting "Clap My Hands," brought rounds of applause, to which the dancers responded.

"Bayadera" will be repeated to-night in the Lyceum, the last performance.

MASKEE CLUB

With the addition of several new and very attractive faces the Maskee, smart night club, is reaching new heights of popularity despite the shortened hours during the present emergency, according to those who have often enjoyed the entertainment, fine surroundings and other amenities of the club. Nina Kellan, charming little singer, and George Sellers at the piano continue to carry the main portion of the entertainment and, with new music all the time, provide definite drawing cards.

New faces are to be seen at the unique bar, where several charming girls minister to the wants of the clients. Not only in conversation, but in dancing are they proving attractive and excellent antidotes for the boredom which depresses Shanghailanders.

With the curfew necessitating an early closing hour, it is suggested by the management, which is in the person of Mr. Horst Riehmer, that an early arrival is not a bad idea. Refreshments are always available of the best, and for those who come early there is time to get into the swing of things before bed-time is enforced.

Having added Herb Ward to the staff of entertainers and musicians at the Maskee Club, the management feel assured that the general public will find this place among the "top-notchers" in the Shanghai entertainment world. Mr. Ward, an accomplished musician, lends harmony and strength to the band and, with his solo numbers surely will please.

FARREN'S TAVERN

On Friday night Lonia's music masters made their debut at Farren's Tavern, which situated beyond the Columbia Country Club, was closed for several days owing the exigencies of the war situation. Mr. de Kalb and associated artistes rate among the best musicians in Shanghai and their jazz, rhumba and tango melodies probably are without peer. Guests have only to suggest and the request is in order. This band is versatile and present harmony and comedy numbers nightly, as soloists or in groups, to the satisfaction of all.

Owing to the illness of Miss Vera, the ballet will have to continue for several days without the services of their leader, but they do very well indeed. With her return and the proposed addition of several other artistes, they will hold their own in spite of any local opposition.

Mr. "Jo" Farren, in person, assisted by Mr. F. Remer, maitre de hotel, attend in their usual pleasant and welcoming manner to the wants of guests.

"SOMEONE AT THE DOOR"

Laughter, thrills, villainy gunwork all combine to make "Someone at the Door" the most diverting of plays and with Mrs. Gardner Crane producing and the band of clever actors that she has gathered together the A. D. C. is bound to score a big success in this their first show of the season. Mr. Sidney Faithful whose successes last season are remembered with Miss Valentine Haemelinck as his opposite has a big and exacting part, in fact the whole action of the play is built round him. He will be ably supported by Messrs. Geere, Chisholm and Ambrose.

The play will be given on November 18, 19 and 20 at 8.30 p.m. Booking at Moutrie's.

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At the Tower each evening the entertainment programme consists of concert music by Joseph Ullstein's Orchestra and melodious musical and vocal numbers by Eric de Reynier, Shanghai's "whispering pianist," accompanied by that versatile drummer, Gene Kirk. These experienced and talented entertainers specialize in an unusual type of entertainment that blends the sweetness of old-fashioned melodies with the sophistication of present-day rhythms.

"There is one thing I would like patrons of the Tower to do," Mr. F. Kaufmann, manager, said "and that is to rid themselves of the idea that the Tower is a night club where formality is to be observed. I like my guests to come informally dressed; I feel that if they do so, they would enjoy themselves more. I want the patrons to be gay and cheerful."

JOAN BLONDELL

In this film of newspapermen and gangsters vivid events will be screened at the Grand soon.

UNIQUE CAREER OF RUSSIAN ACTOR

Gregory Ratoff Hollywood Authority on War Films

When Gregory Ratoff footed it across the Russian border at the start of the revolution in that country, he decided he had had enough of war for one lifetime. He had spent two years in the trenches prior to the treaty of Brest-Litovsk, which ended his country's part in the World War, and had returned to find bullets whining through the streets of the nationa capital in the struggle that led to the establishment of the Soviet. That, he felt, was no place for him.

Next, he ran into internal strife in Germany, where he had founded his Russian Theatre in Berlin. Still a man of peace, he again shifted the locale of his work to Paris. And the happy meeting with Lee Shubert, Broadway producer, resulted in a contract which brought him to America. At last, Ratoff felt, he could look forward to a career of peace. For a while, that was indicated as he pursued a highly successful stage career in New York.

Off to Hollywood

In time, Hollywood heard about him, and he went to the motion picture capital. He annouced that he was a comedian, and wanted to play light, gay roles. At 20th Century-Fox studios, where he was under contract, production authorities agreed with him and cast him in "Under Two Flags," a pcture dealing with war in the Sahara. He was just what they needed, the actor was told, to add a light, comedy touch to the drama of armed conflict.

Philosophically, he took the assignment, knowing that all was not war on the screen. But after a peaceful interlude in the musical hit. "King Of Burlesque" and "Here Comes Trouble," Ratoff found himself back in the trenches again, adding light comedy to the otherwise grimly serious "The Road To Glory."

After a while, the studio agreed that he should be a director, and assigned him to his first picture in that status—"Lancer Spy," a picture dealing with intrigue and counter-espionage behind the German lines during the World War! Of course, it was a grand assignment, with a cast of such notable players as Dolores Del Rio, George Sanders, Peter Lorre, Virginia Field, Sig Rumann and Joseph Schildkraut.

With "Lancer Spy" out of the way, Ratoff awaited assignment to some nice, peaceful drama of home and fireside. But relentlessly he was called into Darryl Zanuck's office and told he had been put in charge of "Shanghai Deadline," based upon the war situation.

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BIRTH

STANDRING.—On November 6, 1937, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. H. STANDRING, a daughter. (Hongkong papers please copy.) x3776

ENGAGEMENT

STEVENS—GAULD.—The engagement is announced between DOUGLAS HENRY, Hongkong, second son of the late Mr. A. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens, Colchester, Essex, England, to DOROTHY ELIZABETH, youngest daughter of the late Rev. W. Gauld, D.D., and Mrs. Gauld, of Formosa. x3734

MARRIAGE

VALENSA—MENSHIKOFF.—On November 6, 1937, at the Belgian Consulate-General, Shanghai, LUDMILA ANDREWNA (formerly Mrs. A. Sopher), daughter of Mrs. M. A. Menshikoff, widow, of Shanghai, to ARMAND, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Valensa, of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. x3735

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STEERAGE AND CABBAGE

By CORBIE

After travelling by steerage in a China Coaster one wants a bath. Anyone who ventures upon this enticingly cheap method of travel, more euphemistically called deck passage, is likely to be somewhat startled by his accommodation if he is accustomed to the luxury of a cabin. Coming down from Tsingtao recently, the accommodation finally achieved after prolonged bustling among wharf coolies, odorous fellow passengers, and the general commotion of grinding winches and swinging cargo, consisted of a small slushy space of deck between great piles of cabbage baskets which in their entirety at first seemed suffocatingly fragrant. The ship's departure from the wharf was delayed for several hours during which time there was nothing to do except lean against a wall of cabbage and wait. From that position, as noisy activity swirled about, could be seen the barbed-wire barrier which protected the "respectable" passengers and officers from the pirates who might be down in the after end of the ship to which steerage passengers were consigned.

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Eventually when the ship put out to sea, the deck-space between the cabbage mounds was cleaned up somewhat by the crew and a hose. Then as Tsingtao and the sun slipped off the western horizon the steerage passengers, all Russian or Chinese save one, began wheeling, bending and stretching about in preparation for the night. It seemed like camping at sea. The only wide open space on the after deck was the hatch upon which some fifty Russian women made ready to retire having been quick in the act of appropriation. The less fortunate looked elsewhere to place their cots or bedding rolls, some establishing bedrooms in crevices between cabbage baskets, others finding niches between portions of the winch machinery, and still others mounting the cabbage baskets to find a home.

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The Chinese were bird-like in their activities. Using straw, matting and bedding, some constructed snug little nests in nooks of the superstructure in a way that left an ordinary person with a sense of awe. With residences established for the night-day-and-night to come, food and drink were produced from baskets and boxes of baggage and the genial, verbose, carefree nature of the Russian people, men, women and children, gradually began to manifest itself.

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Not even grease, dirt, exceedingly cramped space, nor the ever-dominant cabbages could weigh down the spirits of the Russians. Favoured by a full moon which laid a bright path across the smooth black sea, they sang independently and in unison for a while. Then all was quiet. Later, on getting up to survey the sleeping crowd, a remarkable sight was seen: hundreds of people resting blissfully in the most insane positions. Two attractive girls lay on the deck under a life boat, the keel inches above their faces. In a small collapsible bed slept a family of five. On a narrow ledge overhead was the nest of a snoring Chinese.

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One might expect that under such messy conditions the less necessary matters of toilet be dispensed with, postponed until Shanghai was reached. But when morning came the Russians were as busy as bees, washing, combing, brushing, even manicuring amid gay chatter and laughter. One family had a little runt of a pet dog, called Nora. It was constantly being called, for the animal would stray off and out of sight among the cabbage baskets putting the entire family into a feverish dog-hunt in fear that it had stumbled overboard. To keep the animal's paws clean, a special cloth was used at intervals.

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Through the rest of the journey a new respect was born for the cheerful adaptability and kindly generosity of these people who, as first and second generation emigrants from Red Russia, make the very best of unsavoury circumstances. Their spontaneous desire to help a less experienced steerage passenger and even to share their own limited supply of food, was a revelation.

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When the following foggy morning found the ship entering the yellow Yangtze, word went round the ship that heavy shelling was in progress along the Whangpoo and that steerage passengers could be afforded no protection. There were certainly no sandbags about the after deck but the Russians pointed out that there were far more cabbages than were absolutely necessary and that this cargo, which had proved so obnoxious all the way from Tsingtao, might yet save their lives. But as all was quiet on the Whangpoo, the cabbages had no chance to redeem themselves.

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The ship's reaching the dock brought loud and sincere farewells as though bosom friends were leaving each other forever. On stepping ashore, the trip seemed in retrospect a far sunnier experience than it had in prospect and one which would be long remembered as the time when the genuine humanity of the impecunious turned physical hardships into an amusing game.

Wisdom from the "Weeklies"

Unemployment Insurance The appalling rapidity with which the Unemployment Fund ran up a nine-figure deficit is now being matched by the speed with which it is accumulating a huge surplus, mentions "Truth." From the quarters which cheerfully ran the Fund originally into overwhelming debt there now comes a cry for the swift expenditure of the extra moneys now available. Such a demand can only proceed from thoroughly bad thinking. There is not, and from the nature of things, there cannot be, any tolerably fixed figure of unemployment with which the Fund's resources must be equipped to deal. In our country, engaged in a world-wide trade, the state of industry must be heavily dependent upon changeful circumstances. Any insurance business puts money by for a rainy day, and no one disputes that the Unemployment Fund is peculiarly exposed to the hazards incidental to insurance work. The periods in which expenditure will approximately balance income must needs be few and far between, and as a general rule the Fund will either be piling money up or pouring money out. Only so will it fulfil its function of levelling down the height of a boom and levelling up the depth of a slump.

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Basking Sharks "Basking sharks have recently been attracted to Scottish waters in large numbers," said Mr. John S. Clarke points out the "Listener," "owing to the abundancy of food provided by the abnormal increase in the minute marine life on which they feed. The basking shark (*Selache Maxima*) is the second largest shark in the world, and the largest of all in the North Atlantic waters. It is distinguished by having small dorsal and anal fins, and by very large gill clefts. Its teeth are very small and conical, and rather serrated at the edges, thus giving some indication of the creature's food which consists solely of the smaller marine animals, such as fish which swim in shoals in great numbers. It usually never attacks man or the larger sea beasts and although at times it can be formidable, it is, as a rule, inoffensive. In shape the basking shark is not unlike its more ferocious relatives—the most remorseless of living creatures—and is shaped like a torpedo. Nature adopted what is known as streamlining long before humanity had even thought of the term. The name basking shark is self-explanatory. On sunny days when the surface of the sea is warm, the animal is fond of lying perfectly motionless, with its large triangular dorsal fin and a considerable portion of the back exposed. This habit has led people into the belief that the creature is sluggish, but this is quite a mistake; the torpedo shape is indicative of speed, and almost any shark can cut through the water with incredible swiftness. Usually most inoffensive when unmolested, it is nevertheless dangerous to approach in a small boat, and the fishermen round our coasts are justifiably perturbed at the invasion of their waters by so many of these sea monsters, for they make the herring their major food besides being a menace to nets and boats."

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Cochineal Insects A missionary, I think, writes Kim in the "Statesman," was the first to explain that it was the cochineal insect that was introduced into northern India to destroy the cactus plant, which was increasing so rapidly as to be a menace. Now, a visitor inquires whether the cochineal, which is a little green insect, gets the vivid scarlet dye it produces from the cactus. The red fruit of the prickly pear is often used for the same purpose as the cochineal. Well, the cactus may provide the red of the cochineal, but I have known the powder being scraped off other shrubs and plants besides the cactus. I might here ask a question on my own: Can the cochineal be used as a permanent dye? It seems to me to wash off very easily. Perhaps that is why it is so popular among holiday-makers, who are more ready to squirt it upon one another because they know the stain will soon disappear. Of recent years, another colour besides the red of the cochineal has become popular among festive people, who are beginning to use a kind of blue which is not so easy to remove as the other. Sometimes, on a "holi" festival, poor people who feel they must display their joy in some way because spring has come, merely squirt muddy water upon each other. Failing water, they rub each other's faces with earth. Sometimes this rubbing in the name of laughter and merriment is done very roughly. Then there are rows.

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Nurses' Status Under the present anarchic system of hospital administration in his country, the nurse has no defined status, educationally, socially or professionally, argues the "New Statesman and Nation." Educationally, nurses are of three kinds, public school, secondary and elementary, or a variation of any one of the three. Professionally she may be a fully-trained nurse, an assistant nurse or an amateur. There are numerous agencies in our big cities whose business it is to supply "trained nurses," many of whom, as a recent enquiry showed, know only a little first aid. "Child nurses" who have done no nursing but minding neighbours' or acquaintances' children are foisted upon the public by commercial quackery. The "nurse" is often the well-meaning girl who likes nursing and having worked for low wages, long hours and several years in some nursing home is rewarded with a worthless certificate of her "training." In contrast is the average doctor who, whatever his personal intellectual ability, does at least carry with his degree a voucher of his skill and who, in consequence, has status, esteem and a decent living.

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English Schools In the grant-aided secondary schools, there were 219,431 pupils in 1935 who paid full fees and over 21,000 who paid fees in part, observes the "Economist." These fees ranged between 4 guineas and 30 guineas and averaged little over £12. It may be estimated, further, that apart from the grant-aided schools, there were in 1935 something like 140,000 pupils in private, grammar and public schools, of whom 91,000 were in institutions classed as "efficient" by the Board of Education. Many of these were boarding schools, and some came within the category which Prof. J. Hilton recently described as the preserve of a privileged few, having the right to issue "special tickets" admitting their bearers to high position in the service of the State, the professions and industry. The fees in these institutions vary widely. At the modest day-school they may run from £20 or £30 a year. At the other end of the scale, they may be as much as £250 at a famous boarding school. This last figure includes a catering charge for bed and board during a given number of nights and days in the year. Nevertheless, the difference between the charges of the more and the less expensive schools is too great to be explained either in this way or by difference in the quality of the teaching provided. In fact, sentiment, tradition, custom and prestige confer on the pupils of certain schools a cachet of recognized value in the labour market. The fees charged therefore include an appreciable "good will" element which is tacitly accepted by parents as being in the nature of a capital investment, like the entrance fee to a particularly good club.

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Ruritanian Virtues For years I have known and liked the Ruritanians, comments Freya Stark in "Time and Tide." They have the qualities as well as the climate which make people charming to live with; they are kind to children, amiable to strangers, devoted to art, and unruffled by the abstract. The poor enjoy work and are cheerful, and the rich are few; and, unlike some other races, they appear to be well-adapted to family life. Now with all these private virtues there is, at the present moment, I honestly believe not a misdemeanour in the whole code of international decency which Ruritania as a nation is not prepared to commit. It is better to be her enemy than her friend, for her friend will, some time or other, get a stab in the back. She tells lies like Matilda, and watches with cynical amusement for the fools of other nations to believe her; when, tired of trying, they give it up, she turns her attention elsewhere and lies again. She will snatch for herself in the midst of peace, regardless of general consequences, and be genuinely surprised if other nations, less sophisticated, do not buy a quiet life by timely inattention. And she will glorify with the most rhetorical phrases those exploits of which, in his private life, almost every Ruritanian I know would be ashamed.

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Holidays With Pay It is already clear, states the "Spectator," that there is a certain reality in the distinction between black-coated workers who have long been accustomed to receive holidays with pay, and manual workers, who have not—in this respect, that among the former work in holiday seasons is commonly spread among the existing staff without additional cost to the employers, while among the latter it cannot be. A week's holiday for cotton-spinners would cost the industry £400,000; for wool (and allied) textile workers it would cost £500,000. In other words an annual holiday with pay must be regarded as an addition to wages. That, indeed, is what most people have expected. But because it is a concession to labour which will cost money it does not follow that it is a concession which ought not to be made. And it may well turn out that the increased fitness resulting and the diminished discontent may prove an asset off-setting the cost. In these days all will agree that an annual holiday is a human necessity. But is it a holiday if the worker's wage is stopped?

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Presidential Perspicacity Roosevelt seems to have recovered his poise, points out "Baron's." He is operating with much more poignant perspicacity than when he laid his chin open for Hughes's hay-maker; lost control of Congress and then reached up into the clouds (or under the sheets) for a Supreme Court Justice without looking. It had begun to look as though he were one of those fellows who had a lot on the ball when the fans were with him, but blew up when the stands started to "boo." This business of not being "out in front"—or not being sure he was—was a new experience, and his sensational slide in the last six months gave evidence that he couldn't "take it" without losing his head. The Franklin Roosevelt of his "jinx year," 1937, in fact, has in technique (or lack of it) often been more like Herbert Hoover than like the Franklin Roosevelt of '36. If he has recovered his "old self" the country will be fortunate and that goes even for those who highly dislike that "old self." For Roosevelt, in his best stride, reformer—even radical—though he is, keeps his feet on the ground and his eyes on the ball much better than the peevish, resentful Roosevelt whose apparent attitude toward those who beset him is reminiscent of the attitude he, himself, engendered in the breast of his old friend, Al Smith. That's why it was good news to hear those clarion, campaign catchwords ringing through the Northwest. It's the old well-rounded economy, all for one and one for all, with the budget balanced next year if possible. As one pretty prominent New Dealer put it: "It's looks as though the Boss is over his 'mad,' And am I glad! Whew!" The new strategy, apparently, calls for plunging right ahead up the field, calling for everything in the repertory—a farm bill, wages and hours, the seven TVA's, a reorganized government structure and what have you? Oh, yes; we have, or rather we haven't, a reorganized judiciary. Is that included? If Roosevelt has recovered his stride, it will not be.

THE WEATHER

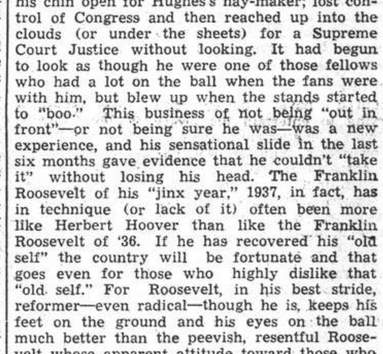
The temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai, for 24 hours ending 7 p.m.

Yesterday	Min.	59.0	Max.	67.5
Same date, 1936	Min.	57.0	Max.	65.0
Rainfall .74				

Siccawei Recording:—

Yesterday	Min.	58.8	Max.	66.7
Same date, 1936	Min.	55.4	Max.	64.4

Siccawei's Report



State on the morning of the 5th:—Pressure rather low and unsteady over China: normal to higd and unsteady over Korea and Japan. Small depression crossing the Eastern Sea east-north-eastward. North-easterly to south-easterly winds along the Coast. Rainy in our regions: cloudy and fine in the north.

State on the morning of the 6th:—Overcast an misty weather. North-westerly breezes. Pressure low and rising.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Cloudy, fine and colder weather with strong northerly winds around Shantung: with morning mist and fresh north-westerly to northerly breezes over our Coasts: Northerly to north-easterly over the Eastern Sea and Formosa. Cyclonic circulation with rain to the south of Japan, owing to the depression passing east-north-eastward.—Saccawei Observatory.

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In Parenthesis

Psychology

WATTS—I understand that you think I am a fool.

Potts—I never said so, but perhaps you are a mind-reader.

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Together Then

SMALL BOY—Pa!

Father—What now?

Small Boy—Why didn't Noah swat both the flies when he had such a good chance?

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Retort Divine

INFORMATIVE Stranger—It may interest you to know that that is what is called a Helicopter.

Farmer—You may be interested to know that that's my boy piloting it.

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Anglais?

AMERICAN Visitor (in Paris) — Parley voo Angley, mademoiselle?

French Girl—Yes; a vairy leetle.

American Visitor—Good work! Say, could you put me wise where I could line up against some good eats in this burg?

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Retrospective Logic

A SCOTTISH undergraduate was hard up, so he wrote his father asking for a remittance of £20. Knowing his father's tardiness at replying to this kind of request, the young man added this postscript—"Remember he gives double who gives quickly." His father wired him £10.

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It's Just Too Bad Dictionary Doesn't Support These

London.

The Board of Education reports these among answers 11-year-olds at a Scottish school gave to a general knowledge examination:

Matrimony is a place where souls suffer for a time on account of their sin.

A crisis is a thing which hangs up in the winter and comes down in the summer as a butterfly.

Tarzan is a short name for the American flag. Its full name is Tarzan stripes.

A republic is a country where no one can do anything in private.

The spine is a bundle of bones that runs up and down the back and holds the ribs together. The skull sits on one and I sit on the other.

An active verb shows action, as he kissed her, and a passive verb shows passion, as she kissed him.

Amen means "that's the lot."

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A Natural Course

MR. Brown looked at the letter on his desk.

"We are very surprised," it read, "that the money we have demanded so often has not yet arrived."

Turning to his secretary, he dictated his reply.

"Dear Sirs—You do not need to be surprised. I have not sent it."

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L'Inevitable

A retired naval officer had been trying to entertain his pretty partner with a lengthy yarn, and concluded by saying, "And so, you see, I was vindicated at last."

"How thrilling!" said the girl. "And I suppose they made you wear a red tape on your arm until the swelling went down!"

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Not Extravagant

MRS. Jones was extremely pleased. Her eyes sparkled as she looked down at her hand. "How extravagant of you, dear," she said, "to buy me this beautiful ring!"

Her husband smiled sweetly. "Not at all, darling," he replied, "just think what I shall save on glove bills."

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Pointed Terseness

MRS. Newbegin had just made the acquaintance of Mrs. Suburbanite, and exchanges of confidences were being made. Each was wondering what the husband of the other was like. Mrs. N. put the direct query — "Is your husband a rather short man, Mrs. S——?"

"Always!" replied she with a significant sigh.

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Don't be a Bore

SAID the smart little waitress, tripping up beside the customer—"I have got devilled kidneys, calves' brains, pigs' feet, chick livers, and ——" "Forget it," growled the diner. "I've got a headache, fallen arches, corns, a bunion, three warts, and an empty stomach. Tell your troubles to someone else, and bring me some ham and eggs."

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The Aspirate Again

IN reply to the question, "From which animal do we get ham?" an observant, if slightly incorrect schoolboy wrote:—"We do not get ham from any animal. It grows on a bush, which is very dangerous to people who are passing. We often read of travellers in foreign countries being caught in an ambush and killed."

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Misconstrued

THE young wife watched her husband gazing down at her first-born. Expressions of wonder, delight, and incredulity passed across his face. The proud mother stole up to the equally proud father and whispered tenderly:—

"Tell me your thoughts, darling."

"Hanged if I can see how anyone can make a cot like that for a quid," came the reply.

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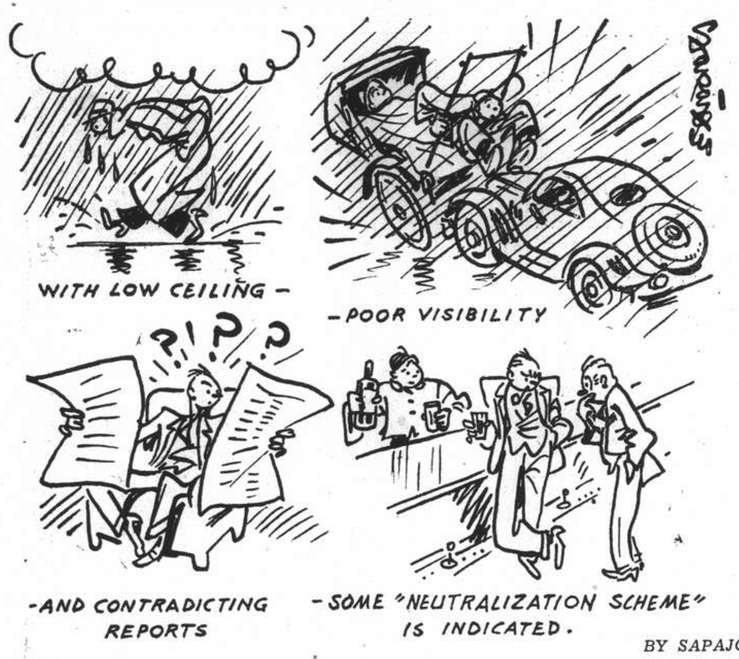
Simple Simon

The wind blows gently over the lough,
And the burn croons softly over the stone,
And the scent of the peat is a joy to the nose,
And a moorbird coughs like an ancient crone—
And I lie on the broad of my back,
And gaze into God's good sky.
And think what a sensible world it would be
If all were as busy as I!
I have wonderful thoughts in the back of my head,
And they'll turn themselves into verse one day—
But they're not about wars, or the rumours of wars,
Or Left or Right, or the nation's sway—
And I lie on the broad of my back,
And gaze into God's good sky,
And muse on the peace there would be in the world
If all were as simple as I!

DERIC HARRIS.



DEPRESSING DAYS

NORTH CHINA IN RETROSPECT

Enforced Celebrations on Fall of Paotingfu: Abnormal Trade Conditions

BY W. LEWISOHN

Peiping, Oct. 12.

The capture of Paotingfu claimed as the greatest victory of the Japanese army since the Russo-Japanese war, was anything but a remarkable military achievement. The disparity in armaments between the two armies almost equalled that of rifles against bows and arrows.

The Japanese were equipped with hundreds of motor lorries, about 30 tanks, every kind of modern artillery from one-pounders to five-inch howitzers and heavier guns, and an air fleet of over 100 planes. These latter, in fact, appear to have done most of the fighting, and with complete impunity, as the Chinese forces had not a single anti-aircraft gun to ward off their attacks. Fifty planes in the air at one time rained down death on the unscientifically entrenched Chinese troops, broke up all their formations in the rear, harassed them continuously in their retreat and prevented them from making a stand anywhere or rallying on a fresh line. It was more than flesh and blood could stand, and it says much for the morale of the Chinese soldiers that they put up any fight at all.

Paotingfu Capture a Gesture

Except perhaps as a gesture the capture of Paotingfu was of very little importance. Once the Japanese had succeeded in turning the left flank of the Chinese line, Paotingfu was of no strategical value anyhow. The great mistakle made by the Chinese was in not fortifying strongly their left wing, the fifteen miles between Paotingfu and the mountains, and keeping a powerful force in reserve there. The rest of the line, to the east of the town, which ran behind a difficult river that runs through a chain of swampy lakes, was very strong indeed. In order to turn it the Japanese would have been forced to carry out a wide encircling movement from Tsangchow away on the Tsin-pu line, which would have considerably delayed their advance.

When the news of the fall of Paotingfu arrived here dozens of lorries went dashing through the main streets of the city hooting loudly, the occupants waving large Japanese flags and shouting "Banzai" and other slogans at the top of their voices.

Their proceedings were watched wrathfully by small groups of Chinese on the pavements. The general expression was one of irritation and despondency. "We now are the slaves of the Japanese!" and, "Well, it can't be helped," was the general tenor of their comment. On the orders of the Japanese the police had to go round to every private residence or shop on the main thoroughfares and order them to prepare illuminations in celebration of the event. That night, on my way home, I walked through streets brilliantly illuminated by strings of red paper lanterns, but otherwise completely deserted.

The "News Balloon"

Nor must I forget the famous "news balloon." This is a small balloon that was flown by the Japanese from former Austrian Legation, with large Chinese characters suspended from it, giving the name of the latest town occupied by their forces or, when there was no victory to be reported, proclaiming such eminently reasonable slogans as "The friendship of Japan and China will assure the peace of Asia." As a result of a protest by the British Embassy against the Legation Quarter being used for propaganda purposes the balloon has since been removed and now hangs somewhat forlornly in the sky in the western part of the city.

On the afternoon when the fall of Paotingfu was announced Japanese military planes circled over the city and dropped propaganda pamphlets, some of which by a pretty touch of irony fell in the grounds of the British Embassy. Well, better than bombs anyhow! Herewith a translation of one of these pamphlets which is not without interest:—

1.—The ancient military centre of Paotingfu has surrendered.

2.—We can now throw off the military tyranny that has been oppressing us so long.

3.—Now, at last, Hua Pei (North China) really belongs to the people of Hua Pei.

4.—The fall of Paotingfu is a piece of the greatest good fortune for the people of Hua Pei.

5.—If you rely on Nanking you will be greatly deceiving yourselves.

6.—Chiang Kai-shek looks after his own job, but neglects our interests.

7.—The people of the North-east must throw off their allegiance to the Nanking Government and protect their own rights.

8.—The people of Hua Pei must see to it that they are no longer oppressed by the Kuomintang and must quickly form a Japanese-Chinese alliance.

9.—Thanks to the maladministration of Chiang Kai-shek the people of South China are already in a very bad way.

10.—In alliance with Japan we can live in peace and happiness.

Seeing that this pamphlet was dropped from Japanese military planes, the constant use of the word "we" is not without its comic aspect.

Shortly after the fall of Paotingfu the Japanese military spokesman here stated that all the special Press liaison officers were returning to Tientsin and even to Japan, as it was unlikely that the Japanese forces would advance further southwards beyond the Paotingfu-Tsangchow line for the time being. He gave as the reason for this halt in the operations, the belief generally held in military circles that the serious defeats inflicted on the armies of the Central Government in North China, in conjunction with the continuous air bombing in the rest of China had, as he put it, greatly diminished the anti-Japanese feeling in China and that shortly the Chinese would be prepared to accept the friendship of Japan. This, be it noted, was before the big air raids on Nanking and Canton.

A day or two later, however, the same spokesman, stirred by the outburst of criticism over the indiscriminate bombing of these two cities, expressed to the foreign correspondents his intense indignation at the way certain foreign news-agencies had exaggerated the stories of the bombing and accused them of having done so under instructions from the Chinese Government.

Expectant Waiting

Peiping is taking a long time to settle down again. Conditions in the old capital are neither markedly bad nor are they very good; but they have quite decidedly not returned to normal. Everything is in a state of stagnation or, better still, of expectant waiting; waiting, that is, to see what the Japanese are going to do with North China when they have conquered it, which they expect to accomplish in a few weeks time. North China, be it noted, includes, according to Japanese ideas, all the territory east and north of the Yellow River. Whether, however, the Japanese will be content with this vast area or whether, to put it more exactly, they will be able to restrict themselves to this limited objective, is a question that only future events and the attitude of the rest of China can decide.

Anyhow Peiping remains in a state of suspended animation. The only appearance of bustle and animation is lent to its streets by the columns of Japanese troops constantly marching through; by parties of their soldiers out for a stroll on a few hours leave, and by staff cars dashing through the city. These Japanese troops have been behaving very well on the whole, though the shopping and sight-seeing parties are occasionally inclined to be high-handed, when out of sight of their officers.

Trade at a Standstill

Trade is completely at a standstill, as most of the local industries, such as carpets, modern curios, lacquerware and cloisonné are closed down, or at least only working half time, is partly due to lack of capital and ready money, and partly to the fact that many of the skilled workmen have left to return to their homes in the country. The currency question, too, is causing employers of labour great difficulties, as there is a great shortage of Central Government banknotes and other good currency. Considerable hoarding of these banknotes is going on privately; the local banks are now all under some kind of supervision by Japanese gendarmes and are only allowed to pay out quite small sums; while Japanese soldiers and residents are forcing yen notes on the market, generally at their own rates which are naturally not at all in favour of the Chinese shopkeeper.

Most of the wealthy Chinese have long ago left these parts, and under present conditions nobody is prepared to spend money in the development of the country, though doubtless quite prepared to participate in the benefits.

Japanese Operate Railways

The railways have, needless to say, been all taken over by the Japanese and railway staffs from Manchoukuo have been brought in to work them. But as most of the lines are fully engaged in supplying the armies at the front with stores, munitions and men, the restoration of the rail services has so far been of little benefit to the ordinary trader. The only beneficial result that the war has brought to North China hitherto has been a notable reduction of many of the exorbitant local taxes; though as trade is not moving, this can be of little benefit except to the individual.

In spite of the great falling-off of trade and business in Peiping, the cost of living for the common people has not gone up as badly as the predictions of experts and the scarelines of the newspapers had led one to expect. The reason for this is probably, that despite all the external trappings of foreign trade, the common people of China, when hard put to it, are not so very dependent on foreign imports after all. They can get along, if necessary, on their own immediate produce, and it happens that the harvest in the environs of the city has been very good this year.

The countryside, however, is anything but peaceful, and conditions there are very much less secure than in the city these days. The country, specially to the northwest adjoining the hills, is infested with bands of irregulars: "patriotic volunteers" as they call themselves, *tufei* as the Japanese and villagers call them. It is true that they do occasionally waylay isolated Japanese patrols or single motor lorries, but their chief activities are confined to looting and plundering the neighbouring villages in the plain.

Tragi-Comic Episode

The presence of bandits in the surrounding country was responsible for a minor tragi-comic episode. The racing members of the Peking Club, with a certain lack of imagination or regard for other peoples' (Chinese) feeling, decided to hold their autumn meeting as usual at the Paomachang Race Course about three miles outside the city. The Japanese military authorities had already indicated their disapproval by refusing to open the Hsipienmen, the gate nearest the course, which has been kept permanently closed since the trouble started, on the somewhat ironical grounds that they would have to waste the services of ten soldiers as guard for the gate, if it was opened. Notwithstanding this fairly broad hint, members insisted on holding the meeting, and on Saturday morning parties of enthusiasts went out by the other west gate to the course.

Proceedings had hardly begun, when one of the Chinese police chiefs arrived on the ground and informed the members that the authorities could not countenance the meeting, as there was a band of bandits reported to be only a couple of miles away and they could not guarantee their safety. The meeting, therefore, had to be called off, and after running a few impromptu races, the racing fans returned in high indignation to the city. This whole incident is highly typical of the frame of mind of many foreigners here. They seem quite unable to realize that the land where they have been earning their living in ease and comfort for so long has now been overrun and conquered by a foreign foe, and they are quite annoyed that anything so real as a war should disturb the even tenor of the pleasant Peiping social round.

REIGN OF TERROR IN QUEMOY

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

Amoy, Oct. 25.

Three hundred persons are stated to have been killed on Quemoy by the bombardment from men-of-war and aeroplane bombs. The Chinese papers give a far higher number. The local militia who began the trouble were all killed, but the whole thing was pre-arranged because the Japanese were accompanied by Formosans who were familiar with the geography of the island. These pointed out the houses of the inhabitants who were said to be moderately well off and these people were seized and compelled to give up their money. Villages were ransacked and all rice and food stuffs were taken away. Fowls, pigs, goats, sheep and cattle, the latter being plentiful on the island, were also taken to the ships. Soldiers remained in possession of the island. One local governor fled to Kulangsu and on his way was seized by soldiers of the 128th Division and sent to Tongan a prisoner. This forenoon another island adjoining Quemoy was shelled by warships and troops were landed. Twenty-eight war ships are now lying outside the harbour.

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BANDIT EPISODE IN EASTERN TIBET

Robber Gang Raids Several Villages

MULTIPLE TAXATION ENFORCED

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

Yenchin, Sikang, Sept. 20.

So far this has been a year of actual robbery and rumors of impending robberies that have yet to be realized in the region lying between Atuntze on the Tibetan border and Yenchin in southeastern Tibet. One incident concerned a large robber band which marshalled from Tibetan tribes along the left bank of the Yangtze four or five days of overland caravan travel south of Batang, crossed that wide stream and marched against the usually peaceful villages of Jong and Songting. Arriving at Jong at noon one day, they calmly proceeded to make themselves comfortable in some of the village houses there, helping themselves to tea, butter, parched barley flour (tsamba) and whatever else they found.

They spent several days there, and as long as they were treated well by the villagers all went well. But with the first show of resentment by certain of the Jong villagers toward their unwelcome guests, trouble started. There was shooting and a few deaths, while others were wounded. If accurately reported, the casualties were chiefly among the visiting robbers. Chinese soldiers and Tibetan reserves were sent from Atuntze and its surrounding villages, and the robbers slowly retreated to their Yangtze valley homes, but not until after they had burned eight or ten of the larger houses there, and others at Songting and other small Tibetan villages.

Revenge the Motive

The motive underlying their visit to the Mekong Valley villages is not generally known, but was possibly that of revenge for former wrongs which may have been perpetrated earlier by certain of the Jong and other villagers. It seems evident that some homes were purposely visited and burned, while others were intentionally spared.

And now and ever since that pillaging expedition, rumours are constantly being circulated, by those who enjoy amusing themselves by alarming their gullible neighbours, of approaching large bands of robbers. Usually such reports have no foundation in fact at all, and when robbers are actually out at all, there are usually but a few of them. The numbers are always exaggerated and multiplied several or many times. Apparently the newsmongers have no desire at all to adhere to or even approach the truth. Since the episode, some of the robbed villagers are said to have gone into the robbers' territory once or twice to avenge part of their wrongs. If true, one may suppose that the end is not yet, and that further hostilities are to be expected.

Good Harvest Expected

This year's second crops, buckwheat, millet and corn, in southeastern Tibet, will probably yield well, which is well for the local populace who are taxed heavily whether crops yield well or poorly. Most of the small fields and patches on the Yenchin plain or plateau, as well a those of the outlying villages are irrigible. This is fortunate, as otherwise locally grown food stuffs would be pitiably scarce. Water for irrigation is frequently insufficient unless supplemented by rains. And when there is drought, as was the case during the spring and early summer months this year, crop shortage is inevitable.

Drought plus multiplied taxation by the Tibetan officials, has made scarce locally needed supplies of wheat, barley and speltz, resulting in boosted prices on those staple articles of diet. Much of the grain is carried away for taxes, to provide sustenance for the soldiers stationed at other points in eastern Tibet.

MISSIONS' EMERGENCY SERVICE

Kiukiang Organizations Respond to Demands

FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Kiukiang, Oct. 28.

Special Red Cross emergency service is being efficiently maintained by the Chinese and foreign Christian leaders in close co-operation with local health officials. Cases of a serious nature are admitted to the mission hospitals as soon as they arrive and are given first-aid attention by the missionary doctors.

Though crippled by lack of funds from which they could draw to support the work, they have nevertheless made use of every available means to improve the existing conditions of the hospitals and to make accommodation as sufficient and as comfortable as possible. Other cases which demand higher surgical attention and treatment are being sent to Nanchang immediately, where hospitals are better equipped.

Medicine is urgently needed by all the hospitals and contributions are therefore specially welcomed. In the meantime, churches occasionally receive donations from Home headquarters or, sometimes, set aside a special fund for carrying on this relief work.

Following the example of their sisters in other cities, the educated women and school girls are organizing themselves in an effort for funds which are needed to aid the wounded soldiers with such necessities as cotton-padded clothes, bedding and blankets against the approach of wintry weather and to help the hospitals with a fresh supply of pillows blankets and bandages.

Business Affected

Outwardly business, in general, is going on as usual but transactions have dropped considerably. Slow and irregular transportation, not to say total or partial lack of fresh supply, causes commodity prices soar averaging from 25 per cent. to 75 per cent. increase. Butterfield & Swire's and Jardine's vessels call at this port regularly but mostly off time, carrying crowded passangers and loads of cargo of urgently needed nature. Up-going boats usually carry large number of refugees and war victims for up-river ports and Hankow.

All mission schools and many of the government ones have opened. The Methodist's Nanchang Academy for boys and Baldwin High School for girls whose buildings have been damaged by the Japanese indiscriminate bombing of Nanchang city a month ago, were moved to Kuling where special classes have been maintained.

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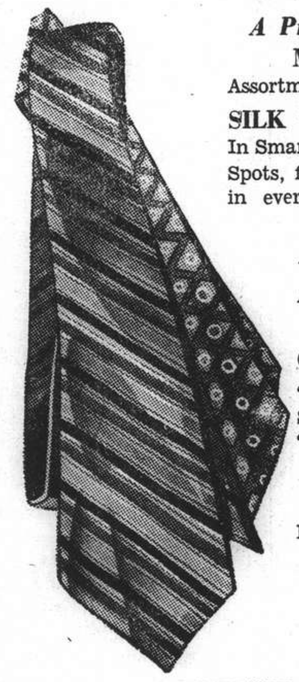

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FROM DAY TO DAY

AIRLINERS on Imperial Airways services are now flying a daily mileage approximately to 26,000 miles.

KING George of Greece is arriving in England to-day and will stay at Buckingham Palace as the guest of the King and Queen.

THE Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, called on King Boris of Bulgaria at his London hotel on Thursday.

THE Second Joint University, formed by Fuh Tan and Great China Universities in Kweichow, will begin classwork on December 1, states a report to the Chinese press.

THE two Vienna champion hot-air balloonists Marek and Emmer announce that their preparations for building a stratosphere balloon are nearly complete.

MR. Shuhei Tajima, Chief of the Japanese Consular Police here, returned to Shanghai on Thursday from a three-week visit to Nagasaki, where he recuperated from a recent illness.

CHANCELLOR Hitler has awarded the Eagle Shield of the German Reich to Professor Bernhard Nocht, director of the Institute for Ship and Tropical Diseases in Hamburg on the occasion of his 80th birthday.

THE Kwangsi Provincial Government has recently opened five additional garrison districts in the province, namely, Liuhsi, Lungling, Lunghsiang, Hsiangwu and Nanping districts, according to a report to the "China Times."

QUESTIONED regarding the significance of his conference with Mr. Fiorello LaGuardia, Mayor of New York City, President Roosevelt said to-day that "speculation in news stories is just as dangerous as speculation on the Stock Exchange".

COLONEL de Watteville, representative of the International Red Cross Society in Geneva, and Mr. Peng Ching-chow, the general secretary of the Chinese Red Cross Society, arrived in Nanking from Hankow by air on Thursday, says a report to the "China Times."

THE first-class destroyer Minekumo was launched at the Fujinagato Dockyard, Osaka, at 8 a.m. on Thursday. Displacing 1,500 tons, the warship will develop a speed of 34 knots and carry the following equipment,—six 12.7 cm. guns, eight torpedo tubes and one searchlight unit.

THE War Aid Association in Shanghai has started a campaign for the collection of 50,000 rain coats for soldiers at the front between November 6 and December 20, says a Chinese report. Cash donations specified for the making of rain coats are also invited.

SUNDAY falling within the octave of All Saints Day and on the eve of Armistice Day, the services in Holy Trinity Cathedral will reflect the teaching of the season. At Evensong the Dean will preach, his subject being, 'The Message of All Saints Day.' Mrs. Harvey will sing the solo setting of Purcell's 'Evening Hymn.'

General Oong Chao-yuan, hero of the defence of Woosung against the Japanese in 1932, who again took part in the current local hostilities and was some time ago wounded in the leg by a Japanese shell, has been rapidly recovering from his injuries under expert medical treatment, says a report to the "Ta Kung Pao."

THE Social Affairs Bureau of the City Government of Greater Shanghai has received an order from the Ministry of Industry, asking it to guide local labour unions in developing sound and healthy organizations, says a report to the Chinese press. The Bureau will first make a general survey of the unions and then proceed to direct their development.

THE Colonial Secretary, Mr. W. G. Ormsby-Gore, has received with deep regret a telegram from the High Commissioner for the Malay States, Sir Shenton Thomas, reporting the death on Thursday of the Regent of Kedah. Mr. Ormsby-Gore has requested the High Commissioner by telegraph to express his sympathy with the relatives and State Council.

A GENERAL mobilization conference for Kiangsi province was due to be held in Nanchang yesterday, says a special dispatch to the "Ta Kung Pao." General Hsiung Shih-hui, Chairman of the Provincial Government, will attend the gathering, in which measures for the cultivation of man power and material resources in the emergency period will be discussed.

AT a postage stamp auction in Hamburg, an orange one penny stamp of Mauritius of 1847 was bought by Herr Miehe of Hanover for Rm. 31,000, the stamp having been valued at Rm. 30,000. This is one of the eleven still existing stamped specimens. Like the stamp in possession of the Reichs Post Museum, it is slightly repaired. The last price paid in Germany for the same stamp was Rm. 32,000.

AN official communique issued in Berlin on Thursday refers to the rumours that General Ludendorff in a letter to a personality abroad had severely criticized the German foreign policy, particularly with regard to the friendly relations to a certain foreign power and to the events in Spain. Enquiries instituted with the assistance of the foreign power in question have proved that Ludendorff's alleged letter was a forgery and that the general never expressed the views attributed to him.

A SPECIAL meeting of the American Association of University Women is called for Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Young, 7 Route Francis Garnier, to help prepare gauze dressings for Lester Hospital, for which there is a special request. Members of the Association and their friends are urged to attend and out-of-town women with college backgrounds and interests are particularly invited to join in the work and fellowship of this group. No individual notices will be sent out.

FROM A CLUBMAN'S CHAIR

How Imagination Helps Broadcasters: Paris Fashion For Men: New Thrill for Londoners

BY CHARLES MARTIN

The talks director of the British Broadcasting Corp. advises newcomers to the microphone to behave as if they were addressing a small family circle. The advice is frequently followed by speakers, though some have their own variations. For instance, Sir Samuel Hoare, the Home Secretary, always imagines he is sitting in a farmer's cottage in Norfolk, talking to the farmer and his wife.

Mr. Harold Nicholson, M.P., another popular broadcaster, visualizes a sick maiden aunt in a nursing home. He imagines he is on a visit to the invalid who is not allowed to read and permitted visitors for short periods only.

Mr. Nicholson adopts a bright bedside manner for his imaginary relative; he endeavours to be informative without being dull, sympathetic without being sentimental; and one eye, metaphorically, is always on the door watching for the nurse to signal that time is up. The imagery may sound a little complicated but it is by such means that Mr. Nicholson has lifted himself into the front rank of wireless speakers.

Broader Shoulders For Burdens

Fashion is no respector of persons. When fashion decreed a smaller waist for women the feminine figure responded by a universal shrinkage in that part of the body.

Men do not escape entirely from these fashions which ignore natural shapes or possibly unnatural developments, and would have all the well-dressed conform to one style; though, so far, they have not been called upon to appease the god of fashion by mortifying the flesh.

The exaggerated broad shoulder is one instance of making the clothes to fit a style and not the wearer. Broader shoulders for men may be one of the objects of the new physical culture movement in Britain; they are certainly one of the achievements of the modern tailor.

Cheetahs for London Sport

Londoners are shortly to be offered a new thrill. Racing cheetahs have been brought to England and will be seen in action on the Harringay greyhound racing track.

The cheetah, two-thirds cat and one-third dog, is the speediest animal in the world. A racing greyhound, at its fastest, is capable of a speed of 36 or 38 miles an hour. A cheetah can reach 45 miles an hour, or even more.

Cheetah coursing is the oldest field sport in existence. It was practised 3,000 years ago and still has its devotees in India and Egypt to-day. The Englishman is sometimes reproached for bestowing too much care on his dog. It is safe to say that no dog in England is pampered to the extent that the cheetah was in those ancient times.

A Persian monarch once built a palace for his cheetahs, and had their hoods and collars adorned with priceless jewels. A king of the Medes is said to have spent the equivalent of £20,000 on his pack and his animals, also, wore gems.

The cheetahs now being trained to race on the London dog track are not bejewelled, but they are treated with infinite patience and every care is given to their well-being.

They will race with greyhounds—the animals have so far shown no antipathy to each other—but unlike the dogs the cheetahs are not content to be bluffed by a mechanical hare. This must be baited with dead rabbit for the cheetahs' benefit, and at the end of the race the pursuers will be rewarded with a meal, unless the dogs get it first.

Red Ears for Criminals

Devising punishments to "fit the crime" the sublime object of Gilbert's Mikado, but there seems to be a tendency among modern law-givers to follow the example set by that ingenious ruler and administer justice with originality.

At one time it was the practice to mark criminals by cutting off their ears. News comes from Rumania of an attempt to revive, not indeed the practice, but the principle behind it, and the same organs are involved. The Bucharest Chief of Police proposes to let the public recognize the habitual criminal on sight by painting the unfortunate wrongdoer's ears red after the second conviction.

The Chopping Check

Novel sentences are being passed by judges not afraid of trying unusual methods. Convicted of speeding, a University student in Chicago recently received, instead of the customary fine, an order to chop wood for 29 days at the rate of one hour a day. The judge realized that fining was no punishment to young fellows with liberal allowances.

Another reckless motorist in Florida was sentenced to hear thirteen sermons. Every Sunday morning his attendance was required in Church, and every Monday morning he had to appear in Court to give a summary of the previous day's sermon, quoting the minister's texts. The alternative was 90 days in prison.

4th SUNDAY SYMPHONY CONCERT

The fourth symphony concert of the season, to be given to-day at 5.15 p.m. at the Lyceum Theatre by the Municipal Orchestra, presents to Shanghai music lovers, at popular prices, a wonderful Programme of works by old and modern Masters and the rare musical treat of hearing, as Soloist, the distinguished Shanghai Violinist Prof. A. Foa.

Prof. Foa will play for the first time in Shanghai the famous Violin Concerto in A minor by Bach, one of the finest works by that great Master, who, in the second movement, the Andante, wrote one of his most inspired and divinely beautiful melodies.

Of other old Masters, the Orchestra, under the conductorship of Maestro Paci, will play the Concerto Grosso in G for Stringed Orchestra by Handel, with the celebrated "Musetta" and the greatest of Mozart's Symphonies, the one in C major with the Fugue called, on account of the grandiosity of its lines and conception, the Jupiter Symphony.

For the second part of the Programme, after the interval, to bring the concert to a brilliant conclusion, the Conductor has chosen the Suite from the "Incidental Music" to Moliere's Play "Le bourgeois Gentilhomme" by Richard Strauss.

The Suite is scored for a Chamber-Orchestra composed of 3 Principal Solo-Instruments: Violin (Prof. Foa), Cello (J. Ullstein), Piano (G. Singer) and 30 other Musicians. But only for three of the nine sketches of which the Suite is composed has Strauss made use of the full strength of the Chamber Orchestra, namely for "The Fencing Master," "The Dance of the Tailors" and for the final tableau of "The Dinner," a dazzling musical bill-of-fare.

THE PROGRAMME

1.—Concerto Grosso No. 6 .....Handel
for two Violins and 'Cello Soli with Stringed Orchestra and Cembalo
2.—Violin—Concerto in A minor ..Bach
Soloist: Prof. Arrigo Foa.
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3.—Symphony from "Jupiter" ..Mozart
4.—"Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme" Strauss
(For Solo Instruments and Chamber Orchestra)
Instrumental Soloists: Messrs. Prof. A. Foa (Violin), J. Ullstein ('Cello), G. Singer (Piano).
Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci.

Snapshot Notes

Children

"Stand up straight now and look at me," "Put your hands down, darling, and smile, I want to get a good picture to send to Aunt Minnie."

Haven't you heard these two and many similar expressions on the part of parents when they are taking snapshots of their children? Let's hope you are not numbered among them for unless your child is quite apt at posing the result will be a rather uninteresting snapshot which does not do the child justice.

First of all, as you know, youngsters are the cutest when they are perfectly natural. If a lot of fuss is made to get them to stand just so, or an effort is made to get them to do a certain thing, the chances are they will look too posed in the finished print.

There are two types of child pictures, I might say; just plain record pictures and the other kind you should strive to get—storey-telling pictures. A little tot standing straight as an arrow with arms stiffened against the sides of the body and staring at the camera is a good example of a record picture, but snap a picture of that same little rascal making mud pies, or playing traffic policeman, and you have a story-telling picture with real human interest appeal.

Children's pictures should always be taken fairly close up, rarely more than ten feet from the camera. If you have an ordinary box camera don't get closer than six or eight feet unless a portrait attachment is placed over the lens. With a portrait attachment you can get as close as three and a half feet to your subject and get sharp, distinct pictures that will show every curl and dimple. By moving a lever on the newer type box cameras, however, you can shoot as close as five feet to your subject without a portrait attachment.

With a folding camera of focussing type, the closer the subject is to the lens the more care is required in estimating the distance. Set the pointer on the distance scale at the number of feet between the lens and the child. If you change your position for succeeding pictures, be sure to change the pointer to the proper distance mark.

And watch your backgrounds. A nice, attractive background adds so much to your pictures. Telephone poles, wires, unattractive fences, garages, and what have you, often spoil an otherwise artistic, fascinating human interest picture. In fact, any prominent off-side object in the picture will detract from the interest in what the child is doing.

Here's another tip. Try to avoid having the sun shining directly in the child's eyes, for the poor little fellow can't help squinting under such conditions and neither could you. Let the sun come from the side. This gives an interesting lighting and what professionals call "roundness."

Follow these "tips" and you'll get real joy out of your snapshots.

When taking pictures of children, snap them in a natural pose—doing something.

MR. C. R. ATTLEE HOLDS COMMONS POST

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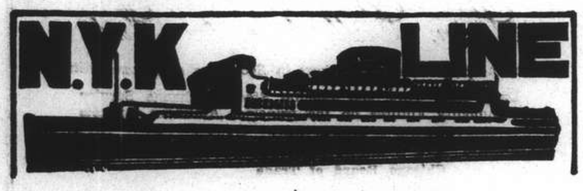

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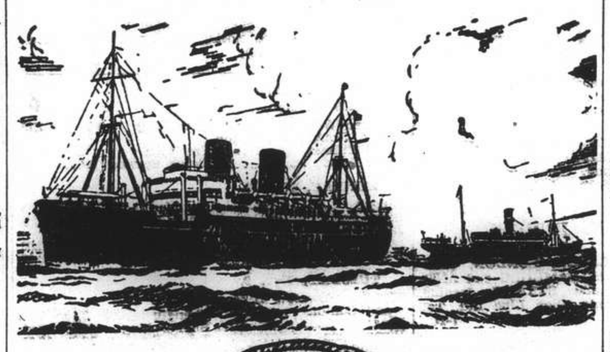

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Shanghai M.	Nov. 13	Nov. 14	Nov. 15	E/Russia	Nov. 16	Nov. 18	Nov. 20
Aramis	Nov. 15	—	Nov. 18		—	—	—
*Shanghai M.	Nov. 28	Nov. 29	—	E/Japan	—	Dec. 1	Dec. 3
Athos II	Dec. 13	—	Dec. 16	E/Asia	Dec. 14	Dec. 16	Dec. 18

* by train from Nagasaki to Kobe.

VIA HONGKONG

	Leave S'hai	Arrive H'kong	Steamer	Leave H'kong	Leave Kobe	Leave Yoko.
Tjisalak	Nov. 17	Nov. 21	E/Japan	Nov. 26	Dec. 1	Dec. 3
Conte Rosso	Nov. 24	Nov. 26		—	—	—

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1937

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10.00 A.M.

£1 @ 1/2 7/16 ..... $ 16.92
U.S. $100 @ 29 7/16 ..... $339.70

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10.00 A.M.

£1 @ 1/2 7/16 ..... $16.7685
U.S. $100 @ 29¾ $336.134

London—demand 1/2 5/16
4 months' sigrt credits 1/2 11/32
4 months' sight docts 1/2 13/32
6 months' sight credits 1/2 3/8
6 months' sight docts 1/2 7/16
New York—demand ..... U.S. $29¾
4 months' sight credits 29 13/32
4 montrs' sight docts 29 15/32
Paris—4 months' sight docts Fcs. 910

CLOSING RATES

Sterling ..... 1/2 11/32 U.S. $29 17/32

Canadian Exchange

The Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China opening selling rate yesterday:—

Can. $100 @ 29 3/8 = C.S.$340.43

Netherlands Trading Society

BUYING

Java Guilders C.S.$100 ..... 53 5/8
Netherlands Guilders C.S.$100 ... 53¾

SELLING

Java Guilders C.S.$100 53
Netherlands Guilders C.S.$100 .... 53 1/8

National City Bank of New York

MARKET SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

U.S. $1 = C.S.$3.3970 Stg. £1 = C.S.$16.954

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U.S. $1 = C.S.$3.3684 Stg. £1 = C.S.$16.769

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Tourist Lire 6.10 ..... = C.S.$1

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LOCAL EXCHANGE REPORT

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

£ Highest 1/2 1/4 Lowest 1/2 3/16
U.S. G.$ 29 1/8 29 1/16
Yen 102 1/8 102

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

	SELLING		BUYING	
	Cash		November	
£	T.T.	1/2 3/8	4 m/s. l.c.	1/2 5/16
G.$	T.T.	29 1/2	4 m/s. l.c.	29¾
Fcs.	T.T.	871	4 m/s.	899
Rs.	T.T.	78¼	7 d/s.	79 1/8

BAR SILVER

	Ready	For'd
London pence per std. oz.	19 1/2	19 1/2
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	44¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	50.10	—
Bombay offtake 50 bars.	Market closed steady.	

London silver was 1/8 down and 1/16 down forward, being 19 1/16 for spot and forward. New York was unchanged at 44¾ and Bombay was one anna down at 50.10. It was reported India and Speculators sold. Support was poor. Business small. Market quiet. After the official fixing, a little Indian selling was absorbed by American and trade buying at the fixed rate. The market closed steady on further American inquiry, but sellers were reserved.

The Local Exchange Market opened with Sellers to Merchants for ready delivery at 1/2 3/16 Stg. 29½ U.S.$ and 101¾ for Yen and continued steady at this level for the rest of the morning. Owing to the sharp rise in London/New York cross rate, the inter-bank market enjoyed a fair amount of activity, the best sellers at the close being 1/2 3/16 Stg. and 29 3/16 U.S.$ for Cash delivery. The forward market also showed a very steady tendency, sellers for December at 1/2 1/16 and 29 5/32.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:	Nov. 5.		
Japan	77 3/8	London	1/6 7/64
New York	266 7/8	2 mths	
Shanghai	80	„ (sellers)	1/6 7/64
Hongkong	84 1/8	„ (buyers)	1/6 9/64

London £ Sterling T. T. on:			
New York	499.53	Shanghai	1/2 5/16
Paris	147.09	Bombay	1/6 1/8
Berlin	12.37 1/2	Hongkong	1/3 1/16
Amsterdam	9.03¾	Singapore	2/4 1/16
Brussels	29.35	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	78.50 N	„ (buying)	1/1 23/32
Milan	94.90	C'Slovakia	142.75
Berne	21.52¾		

New York: U.S.$ T. T. on:			
Berlin	40.31½	Japan	29.13
Spain	6.25	Shanghai	29.60
Holland	55.27	Austria	18.85
Paris	3.39 7/8	C'Slovakia	3.50 1/4
Brussels	17.02 1/2	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26 1/4	Rumania	0.74
S'zerland	23.21 1/2	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	25.75	Greece	0.91 5/8
Norway	25.10	Bulgaria	1.35
Denmark	22.30	Finland	2.22
Montreal	100.045	Poland	18.93
Brazil	8.42		
London			4.99 3/4
London Demand			4.99 1/2
London Bankers' 60 days bills			4.99 3/4
London Commercial 60 days bills			4.99 5/8
Buenos Aires, Paper			30.99
Buenos Aires, Paper market rate			29.75
Montreal on London			4.99 5/16

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FOREIGN MONEY RATES

London:		Nov. 5.
Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 3/4 %
Bank Bills,	6 „	0 13/16 %
Fine Trade Bills,	3 „	2 1/4 %
Fine Trade Bills,	6 „	2 3/4 %
Call Money		0 1/2 %

New York:	
Bankers Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0 1/2 % B 0 7/16 % A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16 % B 0 1/2 % A
Call Money	1 %

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SILVER QUOTATIONS

London, Nov. 6.

Silver prices declined slightly today, with quotations being recorded at:—

	Nov. 5	Nov. 6
London spot	19 1/16 d.	19 1/2 d.
„ forward	19 1/16 d.	19 1/2 d.

London/New York:

One pound	U.S.$4.98 3/4	$5.00 1/8
One U.S. dollar	48,108d.	47.994d.

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OFFICIAL INDEXES

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	Nov. 5	6	Change
S'hai Gen. Stock	43.37	43.37	Unch.
S'hai Rub. Share	259.39	259.39	Unch.
Chi. Govt. Bond	101.61*	Closed	

*August 13, 1937.

JAPANESE GOVERNMENT BONDS

Osaka, Nov. 6.

Kogo 5% Y.101.75
3rd Series, 5% (Red. 1985-88) ... 101.83

—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 5.

Stock prices in Wall Street to-day closed irregular, with movements of about 2 points recorded either way, but gains were predominating. The earlier rally was short lived, due to profit-taking and renewed selling. Gold minings were again supported, despite Washington denials of a change in the gold price. Coppers were restrained, due to the weakness of the commodity. The turnover to-day amounted to 1,250,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

30 Indust.	132.31	128.35	128.92	+0.06
20 Rails	33.27	32.20	32.56	+0.29
20 Utilit.	22.33	21.51	21.65	+0.09
40 Bonds	——	——	93.76	−0.41
11 Commod.	——	——	53.27	−0.26

	Nov. 4	5
Adams Express	10¼	10⅜
Alleghany Steel	19½	20
Allis Chalmers	43	41¾
Amer. Can	88¾	87¾
Amer. Cynamid "B"	25¼	25⅝
Amer. & For. Power	4⅜	4¾
„ „ $7 cum.	25	25
Amer. Locomotive	19½	18⅝
Amer. Metals	29¼	30¼
Amer. Radiator	12⅛	12
Amer. Rolling Mill	24¼	23¾
Amer. Smelting	51¾*	50⅛
Amer. Sugar Ref.	30	30⅛
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	150⅝	150½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	71⅞	71⅞
Amer. Waterworks	11⅜	12
Anaconda Copper	27⅜	27
Atchison Topeka & Santa	37½	38⅝
Atlas Corp.	8¾	9⅛
Auburn Auto	10	10¼
Baltimore & Ohio	13	13⅛
Barber Co.	16½	16⅜
Barnsdall Oil Co.	14⅜	14¾
Bethlehem Steel	50	49¾
Boeing Airplane	22½	22¾
Borden Co.	20	20
Borg Warner	31¼	31½
Briggs Manufacturing Co.	27	26
Bklyn-Manhattan	13¾	13½
„ „ $6 cum.	39½	40½
Case, J.I.	97	97½
Canadian Pacific Rly.	8⅜	8
Celanese Corp.	22¾	22½
Cerro de Pasco	43	42½
Chase Nat. Bank	32⅝ B	33 B
Chesapeake Corp.	44⅛ B	44½ B
Chesapeake & Ohio	37⅛	37½
Chrysler	70¼	69½
Columbia Gas & Elec.	8⅜	8½
„ „ 6%	80	79⅞
Commercial Credit	42¼	42
Commercial Solvents	8½	8½
Comm. & Sthrn. (ord.)	1⅞	1⅞
„ „ $6 cum.	41	40
Consolidated Edison	23⅝*	24⅛
Consolidated Oil	10	10
Continental Can	47	47¾
Continental Oil	31¾	32
Corn Products	55⅝	56
Curtis Wright (Com.)	3¾	3¾
„ „ "A"	11¾	12⅜
Delaware & Hudson	17¼	16¾
Delaware, Lackawanna	8½	8½
Deere Co.	24¼	24
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	15⅛	15½
Douglas Aircraft	33¼	32⅞
Du Pont de Nemours	118	118
Eagle Picher Lead	10½	10½
Elec. Boat Co.	6⅞	7
Elec. Bond & Share	9⅞	10
„ „ $5 pfd	53½	54
„ „ $6 pfd	57⅜	57⅞
Elec. Power & Light	12⅛	11¾
„ „ 7% pfd	39½	40¼
Flintkote	15⅜	15
Freeport Sulphur	22	22½
Gen. Cigar	25	25 B
Gen. Elec.	39¾	39⅞
Gen. Foods	30⅜	30⅝
Gen. Motors	39⅜	39¾
Gen. Railway Signal	21	20½
Glidden	27	27½
Godchaux Sugar	29¾ B	29
Goodrich (B.F.)	18¾	19
„ $5 pfd.	57 B	59
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	23	22⅞
Great Northern Railway	26¼	26½
Great Western Sugar	29½	29½
Greyhound Corporation	10⅝	10⅜
Hecker Products	7⅜	7¼
Humble Oil	57⅝	58¼
International Nickel	44⅜	43⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel.	6⅝	7¼
Interstate Department	14⅜	14⅝
Kennecott Copper	32	31
Lambert Co.	15⅞	16
Libby Owens Ford Glass	44	43½
Loew's Inc.	58⅜	59½
Lorillard	18⅝	18¼
McKesson & Robbins Inc.	36⅛ B	36⅛ B
Martin, Glenn L.	14½	13¾
Monsanto Chemical	82¾	83
Montgomery Ward	39⅝	39⅞
Nat. Bond & Investment	18	18¼
Nat. Cash Register	20	20⅛
Nat. City Bank	28¾ B	28⅝ B
Nat. Dairy Products	15⅜	15½
Nat. Distillers	22½	23
Nat. Power & Light	7⅝	7¾
Nat. Steel	63½	64¼
New York Central	19	19⅛
Niagara Hudson & Power	8⅞	8⅝
North Amer. Aviation	7	6⅞
North Amer. Co.	19¼	19
Northern Pacific	13	12⅝
Pacific Gas & Elec.	25	25
Pacific Lighting	38⅛	39
Packard Motors	5¾	5½
Paramount Pictures Inc.	14⅛	14⅛
„ „ 1st pfd.	103½	104½
Pennsylvania Railroad	22¼	22⅛
Phillips Petroleum	43¼*	42½
Public Service Of New	34¾	35⅛
Pure Oil	13	13
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7¼	7⅞
Republic Steel Corp.	18⅜	18¼
Revere Copper & Brass	15	15
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	46⅜	46¼
Schenley Distillers	29¼	29
„ „ 5½% pfd.	79 B	78½
Sears Roebuck	64⅛	64
Shell Union Oil	18⅛	18
Socony Vacuum	15⅝	15¾
South. Calif. Edison	20¼	20⅛
Southern Pacific	20¼	21
Southern Railway	13⅛	13⅜
„ „ $5 pfd.	19¾	19¼
Standard Brands	9	9
Standard Gas	5¼	5⅛
„ „ $7 pfd.	26	26½
Standard Oil of New	50	50¾
Sterling Products	56¼	55¾
Studebaker	7	6⅞
Swift International	25¾	26
Technicolor	19	18¼
Texas Corporation	41½	41½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	30	30
Tide Water Associated	15⅜	15½
Transamerica	12¼	12⅛
Twentieth-Century-Fox	22¾	24
„ „ pfd.	28¾	28½ B
Union Carbide & Carbon	76	76
Union Pacific	91	93
United Aircraft (New)	18½	18½
United Air Lines Transport	8¾	8¾
United Corporation	3⅛	3⅛
„ „ $3 cum.	31	30¾
United Gas Corporation	5	4⅞
United Gas Improvement	11	10⅝
United Light & Power Co.	3½	3⅝
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	19	19⅜
U. S. Rubber	27⅝	27½
„ „ 8%	52½	52½
U. S. Smelting, Ref.	64½	66½
U. S. Steel	57⅜	56⅞
Vanadium	15¾	16
Warner Bros. Pictures	8⅛	8¼
Westinghouse Elec.	97¼	95½
Woodward Iron	14½ B	14½ B
Youngstown Sheet	39⅝	39¾

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	64¾	65
Brazil	29 B	30¾
Cities Service Power	51	51¼
Int. Tel. & Tel.	60⅝	61
Int. Tel. & Tel.	86	86¼
New England Gas	61½	61¾
Peru 6s 1961	11½ B	11½
Standard Gas & Elec.	53	54 B

B—Bid. *—Ex. Div.—Reuter.

MANILA GOLD SHARES

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and S. E. Levy & Co.

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	Nov. 5 Bid	Nov. 6 Bid
Antamok	.52	.51
Atok	.20	.21
Baguio Gold	.18	.18
Batong Buhay	.0100	.0100
Benguet Consolidated	9.30	9.30
Big Wedge	.12	.13
Coco Grove	.48	.48
Consolidated Mines	.0170	.0160
Demonstration	.39	.40
Ipo	.11	.11
Itogon	.37	.37
Ixl	.58	.59
Maasbate	.13	.13
Paracale Gold	.07	.08
Paracale Gumaus	.20	.19
San Mauricio	.58	.57
Suyoc	.19	.19
United Paracable	.56	.55

Quiet. Steady.

Friday's turnover: 5,928,400 shares. S. C. and F. Index (closing) 20.30.

Official Correction

VALUE OF GOLD MINED DURING OCTOBER

	Pesos
East Mindanao	48,600

Vessels Leaving

YANGTZE RIVER

TUNGWO Nov. 9. Sails for TUNGCHOW on Tuesday, Nov. 9th at 8 a.m. from Kinleeyuen Wharf. Passage rate 1st Saloon $15 Single, $25 return. For passages apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-11

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NORTH CHINA COAST

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TAIYUAN Nov. 10. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Wednesday, 10th at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 10-11

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CHENGTU Nov. 9. WENCHOW, SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Tuesday, 9th at noon. For freight apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-11

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Amoy Hongkong Canton and Yunnan	Szechuen	8.30	9.00
River Ports	Truck Service	12.30	13.00
MONDAY, Nov. 8.			
Ningpo	Tembien	10.30	11.00
River Ports	Truck Service	12.30	13.00
Japan Dairen Korea and Formosa via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	17.30	18.00
Nantung	Tungwo	17.30	18.00
TUESDAY, Nov. 9.			
Wenchow Swatow H'kong and Canton	Chengtu	8.30	9.00
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	11.30	12.00
River Ports	Truck Service	12.30	13.00
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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 5.

British gilt-edged securities continued to strengthen on the Stock Exchange to-day, while gold mining issues hardened on sustained speculative support from Johannesburg, Paris and local accounts. Elsewhere, conditions were steadier, but business was still small.—Reuter.

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	Nov. 4	5
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£101⅝	102

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	57	57
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	67	67

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	25/6	25/9
Armstrong, Stevens	9/-	9/-
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	45/9	43/4½
Austin Motors, ord.	37/6	37/9
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	48/10½	48/9
British-American Tob.	107/6	107/6
Cable & W., New form	65¾	65½
Cammell Laird, ord.	11/-	11/-
Courtaulds	49/6	49/11½
Distillers	106/6	107/6
Dunlop Rubber	33/6	33/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	78/7½	78/10½
Guinness (A.) Son & Co.	126/3	126/3
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	27/-	27/9
Imp. Chen. Indus.	36/10½	36/6
Imp. Tobacco	154/4½	155/-
Leyland Motors	90/7½	90/-
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	62/1½	61/-
O.K. Bazaars	27/6	28/1½
Pressed Steel Com.	19/6	19/6
Rolls-Royce	97/6	65/-
Smethwick Drop Forgings	22/6	22/-
Tate & Lyle	82/-	82/9
Turner & Newall	85/7½	85/7½
United Steel	29/4½	29/4½
Vickers, ord.	26/4½	26/6
Woolworths	71/9	71/6

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	31/-	31/9
Rubber Pltn. Invests.	29/3	29/3

MINES

Burma Corp.	15/-	14/9
Commonwealth Min.	2/6	2/7½
Exploration Co.	2/-	2/-
Marsman Invests.	23/-	23/-
Randfontein Ests.	46/9	50/10½
Sub-Nigel	208/9	213/9
Tanami Gold Min.	6d.	6d.

OILS

Anglo Iranian	85/-	84/4½
Burmah	120/-	119/4½
Mexican Eagle	12/4½	11/3
Shell & Trans. & Trad.	98/11½	97/6

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CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

	Nov. 4	5
4½% Gold Loan of 1898	£93½	94
4½% Anglo-French Loan	95	95
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	69½	69½
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	77½	78½
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	84¼	84¼
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	43	43½
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	32½	32
5% „ „ G.	32½	32
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) B.	32½	32
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) G.	32½	32
5% Honan Rly., 1905	44	44
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	37	37
5% „ (Ger. Is.)	33	33
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	23	23½
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	28	28
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	23¼	24
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	34	34
S'hai Waterworks "A"	25	26Nom.
S'hai Elec. Construction	32/6	32/6
Chinese Eng. & Min.	14/6	14/6
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	97½	97½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	13	13
Chosen Corp.	11/3	11/3
Pekin Syndicate	4/-	4/-
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	28/9	28/9

BRITISH COMMODITIES

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 5.

Among commodities, rubber, after ruling steady, firmed up on good trade orders, together with covering. Later, the market eased on disappointing American opening advices, but closed steady, following better advices from the United States.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 7 7/8 +1/16; sellers 7¼ +1/8; Dec. del. buyers 7¼ +1/8; sellers 7 3/8 +1/8.
London Sugar (Buyers): Dec. 6/0¼ unc; Mar. 6/1¾ unc; May 6/2½ unc.
Liverpool Wheat: Dec. 8/3½ —¼; Mar. 7/11½ —⅛; May 7/10¾ —⅛.
Liverpool Cotton: American Futures. Dec. 4.43 +5; Jan. 4.45 +4; Mar. 4.50 +5; May 4.54 +5; Egyptian Futures (Giza F.G.F. No. 7): Nov. 6.09 —3; Jan. 6.40 +6; Mar. 6.49 +6 May 6.58 +6.
London Metals: Copper, Standard cash sellers £39 3/4 —1 1/4; 3 mths sellers £39¾ —1; Copper, Electrolytic buyers £44, —1½; sellers £46, —1½. Tin, Standard cash sellers £193½ —4¾; 3 mths sellers £193, —5. Lead, foreign, official price sellers £16 7/8, —⅝; 3 mths del. sellers £16 7/8, —⅝. Spelter, Ordinary, official price sellers £15 7/8 —¾; 3 mths del. sellers £15 1/8 —¾.—Reuter.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, Nov. 5.

The following were to-day's Reichsmark quotations: New York 40.26, Paris 1190, Amsterdam 72.84, London 12.371.

Paris quoted sterling at 147.35 to 147.40 and the U.S. dollar at 29.50 to 29.60.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. COMMODITIES

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 5.

The cotton market opened steady and early advanced on active trade. Wall Street and foreign buying. Hedging was very light, and with offerings small the market finally closed strong, with quotations ranging from 9 to 10 points up.

The rubber market early advanced on better cables, trade and factory buying and shorts covering. At the last call-over quotations ranged from unchanged to 9 points up.

After early steadiness due to evening-up operations, wheat prices in Chicago declined on liquidation, a poor export demand and disappointing cables. At the final bell, losses of 1⅛ to 1¼ cents were recorded.

The sugar market advanced on steady London advices, covering and light offerings. At the close, quotations were 1 point up.

Silk prices responded to better cables, less hedging and a more encouraging lead from the stock market. Closing quotations were a ½ cent up.

In the foreign exchange section several foreign currencies touched new highs for the year, under the leadership of sterling, in response to rumours in London of a possible increase in the American gold purchase price. Reports from Washington indicate that President Roosevelt declined to comment on the rumours of dollar devaluation, except saying that "it was an excellent sample of dangerous speculations in the news field." Elsewhere, Government quarters ridiculed the rumours, even denying the event of a possibility of an increase.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
Dec.	7.74-74 +10	Dec.	14.72-73 unc.
Jan.	7.75-75 +10	Mar.	14.90-90 +07
Mar.	7.79-79 +10	May	14.95-96 +06
May	7.84-85 +09		B/A
July	7.89-89 +09	July	15.04 N +09
Oct.	8.00-00 +10

INWARD FOREIGN MAILS
From Europe by Suez ..C. Biencamano, left Genoa Oct. 20, due S'hai Nov. 13
From U.S.A.—Via next ship from Nagasaki.
OUTWARD FOREIGN MAILS
For Europe via Suez.....
For U.S.A.....Via Nagasaki Maru, closes Nov. 13, mail due U.S. Dec. 1
For mails by Siberia and by air see page 8

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TO-DAY'S ENTERTAINMENTS

	Tel.		
Auditorium: Hai-Alai, 2,	82162	Lyceum: Fourth Symphony Orchestra, 5.15	70414
Carlton: Lady Precious Stream	35553	Lyceum: Bayadere, 8	70414
Cathay: Head Over Heels in Love	73757	Maskee: Entertainment	
D.D.'s: Entertainment	71609	Metropol: New Faces of 1937	93322
Grand: Varsity Show	32223	Nanking: Dreaming Lips	84133

JAPANESE LANDING TAKES CHINESE BY SURPRISE

Rapid Progress Claimed In Advance Towards Whangpoo River: Chinese Rush Reinforcements

LARGE FORCE ASHORE FROM TRANSPORTS

Navy Lays Down Barrage Along Coast of Hangchow Bay As Army Starts New Move on Shanghai

ALTHOUGH heavy fighting continued yesterday in the western district of Shanghai where the Japanese have succeeded in making another crossing of Soochow Creek, major interest in the military situation has switched to another theatre of war following the landing of Japanese forces at a number of points on the north coast of Hangchow Bay, near Chapoo.

Under the cover of a barrage laid down by Japanese warships, troops started landing in the Kingshanwei district early on Friday morning and operations spread swiftly. Only a few hundred men were ashore in the initial landing but so quickly was the plan carried out that yesterday it was reported that at least 5,000 men had disembarked. Last night the Japanese claimed to have reached the south bank of the Whangpoo river near Sungkiang.

The Chinese authorities announced that reinforcements were being rushed into the area and confidence was expressed in the ability to keep the situation well in hand. It was stated that "the Chinese command is determined to counteract any move which might threaten Chinese positions in Shanghai and Pootung."

The extent of the new Japanese threat to the Chinese positions in the Shanghai district was revealed by reports yesterday. Friday morning's landings were made at Tsaoching village, Kingshangtsu and Chuankungting, all in the Kingshanwei area, north of Chapoo. The movement started at 4 a.m. and operations were covered by a heavy barrage from five Japanese warships while a score of other warships bombarded Chapoo and other places as far south as Chinghai, near Ningpo.

About 200 men comprised the first landing force and occupied Kingszeningchiao and this force was increased to 1,000 between dawn and late afternoon. Yesterday, the number was reported to be 5,000 strong and the presence of other transports indicated the likelihood of further strengthening.

Chinese garrison forces stationed at Chapoo and Chelin gave battle to the invaders and fierce fighting along this part of Chekiang-Kiangsu is anticipated. The apparent object of the Japanese is to reach the south bank of the Whangpoo River, the Chinese military believing that Sungying, seven miles inland from the coast and about the same distance from Sungkiang, on the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, and Kingshanhsien being the immediate objectives.

"Spectacular Successes"

According to a Japanese military communique yesterday "spectacular successes" were achieved by the Japanese forces, several units of which had already reached the southern banks of the upper Whangpoo, south of Sungkiang.

The troops covered 30 klms., to the bank of the Whangpoo River, in 25 to 26 hours. At that time approximately two divisions of Chinese troops faced the advancing Japanese units.

The Chinese defences in the area, the spokesman said, included two lines of trenches, all very well defended. The extreme facility with which the Japanese detachment advanced was ascribed by the spokesman to the utter unexpectedness of the landing. The sea, he added, was calm, but a heavy mist prevented free use of aircraft.

"Despite the unfavourable weather conditions," the spokesman declared, "the landing was carried out almost perfectly, because of close co-operation between the officers and men of the Army and the Navy."

During yesterday afternoon trios of heavy bombers were noted flying over Pootung and in the direction of Sungkiang, accompanied by fighters that circled over them, appearing and disappearing in the clouds and occasionally swooping down almost to the level of the heavier planes. This procession of bombers in the direction of the Chekiang boundary continued until dusk.

A smaller but nonetheless important stream of bombers flew from the Japanese aerodrome near the mouth of the Whangpoo towards the battlefront in the western area, and the Chinese positions there came in for some severe bombardment.

Western District Situation

In regard to the situation in the western district, a Chinese military spokesman yesterday stated that although the Japanese had made slight gains on the south side of Soochow Creek, the situation practically was unchanged. The intensity of yesterday's fighting in this district is described in another column.

The Chinese spokesman added that on the western section of the Creek, Chinese troops were still holding Chuchiapang creek, north of Pah Zu Jao. On the eastern section, the Chinese were guarding Kyong Ka Zah, north of Lincoln Avenue, according to the spokesman. Japanese forces on the south side of the Soochow Creek were estimated at between 4,000 and 5,000 men.

Enemy forces launched no fewer than six attacks on Chinese positions in the vicinity of Pah Zu Jao on Friday night. Having been beaten back repeatedly by the defenders, the Japanese were now consolidating their positions. Enemy engineering corps were seen building a semi-permanent wooden bridge in the vicinity with a view to bringing their mechanized units to the southern bank, according to the spokesman.

West of Warren Piece, where about 100 Japanese had barricaded themselves inside a small red brick house, 300 to 400 additional men landed, the spokesman said. Here the enemy force made a slight advance toward Lincoln Avenue.

Japanese forces again attack Chungkweitang and Haolou, southeast of Nanziang, but without success, the spokesman said. Japanese aeroplanes bombed extensively the area south of Lincoln Avenue.

Nantao Scheme Now Being Put Into Operation

Sponsors Hope It Will Be Effective in Two Days

FOREIGN COMMITTEE HARD AT WORK

The foreign international committee which is charged with establishing a special non-combatant district in northern Nantao was yesterday hard at work trying to perfect details of administration in a manner satisfactory to all concerned. After a meeting of the committee, under the chairmanship of the Rev. Father R. Jacquinot, S.J., it was announced that it was hoped to make the special area effective within two days.

The district which it is contemplated to make a sanctuary for refugees and civilian residents is bounded on the north, east and west by the French Concession (Boulevard des Deux Republiques) and on the south by Fang Pang Road, which traverses the "Native City" from east to west. It is to be policed by the ordinary law-enforcing agency of Nantao, which, however, is not to be armed. Military groups are not to operate within the district. Agents of the disinterested foreign committee are to be in the area to see that the plan is carried out as approved by the two contending parties. These gents will be daily in contact with members of the committee.

Refugees and residents are in Nantao in large numbers and it is in an effort to protect their lives that the scheme is being introduced.

Four nationalities—residents of the International Settlement and the French Concession—are represented on the committee responsible for the plan. The members are Father Jacquinot, Mr. W. H. Plant, Mr. G. Findlay Andrew, Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, Mr. C. Baboud, Mr. A. Jaspar and Mr. Hans Berents.

Non-Intervention Plan Accepted in Spain

London, Nov. 5.

Gen. Francisco Franco, Spanish Nationalist leader, accepted today the proposal of the Non-Intervention Committee for withdrawal of volunteers in return for belligerency rights provided the Republicans also agreed.

Republican leaders at Barcelona agreed, with the provision that the commissions to count the number of foreigners in Spain would actually be neutral and would commence their survey immediately.—United Press.

FORMOSAN GIRL SHOT AS SPY

Last Request For a Cigarette: Tokyo Press Story

Tokyo, Nov. 6.

The alleged execution at Amoy yesterday of the famous Formosan sing-song girl Ah Ben is featured in all the newspapers this morning.

The girl, it is stated, was arrested some days ago and, after a very strict examination, was found guilty of being a Japanese spy and condemned to death.

Just before the execution Ah Ben, attired in a black silk coatee, silver-grey trousers and patent leather shoes, asked for a cigarette as a last request. After finishing her smoke, she nonchalantly faced the firing squad and fell pierced by seven bullets.—Reuter.

TREATY SIGNED BETWEEN FRANCE AND SIAM

Bangkok, Nov. 6.

An amity trade and shipping agreement between the French and Siamese Governments was signed yesterday and then supplemented by a similar agreement between Siam and Indo-China.—Trans-Ocean.

Japanese Claim Vanguards Take Shansi Capital

Fall of Taiyuanfu Likely to Speed Operations

MARCH TO HUANG HO

Retreat of Beleaguered Chinese Cut Off

Peiping, Nov. 6.

The capture of Taiyuanfu, capital of Shansi, was announced in unofficial Japanese quarters here this morning.

With the fall of this city, which brings to a climax the bitterest campaign of the hostilities in North China, the Japanese advance towards the Yellow River on all fronts is expected to speed up.—Reuter.

Chinese Retreat Cut Off

Tientsin, Nov. 6.

With fighting in progress under the walls of Taiyuan, one Japanese detachment this morning occupied Hsiaotienchen, 12 km. south of the city, thus cutting off the Chinese retreat. Two other Japanese detachments at 8.20 o'clock this morning reached the banks of a rivulet flowing within sight of the northern wall of Taiyuan. Divided into five flights, Japanese military aeroplanes this morning continued bombing the city's defenders.

Reports brought by these aircraft, says a Japanese communiqué issued here, indicated that the attempts of the faltering units to retreat to the southwest were checked by the Chinese special "supervisory corps."—Domei.

Pingting Americans Safe

Pingting, Nov. 5.

Eight American missionaries, doctors and teachers here, residing outside of this walled Shansi town, are now safe under protection of Japanese troops. The group includes one man and seven women.—Domei.

HELPING CHINA TO RECUPERATE

Government Asked to Ensure Aid is International

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Nov. 5.

The question of helping China to recuperate after the present hostilities was raised in the House of Commons to-day by Mr. Louis William Smith, Conservative member for the Hallam division of Sheffield.

Mr. Smith asked whether, in view of the certainty that at the end of the war China would need financial assistance to enable her to recuperate, British influence would be used, if China so desired, to ensure that such assistance was international in character and not to the advantage of any particular nation.

Lord Cranborne, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, replied that the British Government would continue to attach the greatest importance to the principle that such assistance to China should not be a matter for international rivalry but should always be the subject of frank consultation between the interested powers, including of course, China herself.—Reuter.

TOKYO PRESS SCOFF AT BRUSSELS

Italian Delegate's Stand Highly Commended

Tokyo, Nov. 6.

The Japanese press to-day dismisses the Brussels Conference with the comment that it is quite natural that it lacks courage to oppose Japan "so long as impure motives guide the policies of anti-Japanese nations." The conference, it is added, "is an example of the spirit of discord characterizing European politics."

Count Marescotti, the Italian delegate at the conference, is praised for his speech at the opening session.

The Count, says the "Asahi Shimbun," injected fresh air into the conference and warm appreciation is expressed for Count Marescotti's "sympathetic understanding of Japan's position, conspicuous for its absence in the addresses of Great Britain, America and France."

The delegates of these three countries, the "Asahi Shimbun" adds, "fail to understand the current Far Eastern situation simply because of their indifference to or ignorance of the real internal causes of the Sino-Japanese conflict."

The "Nichi Nichi Shimbun" declares that Count Marescotti suggested a line of action that should be followed by other delegates when he emphasized that only the parties to the conflict were in a position to eliminate the true cause of the dispute.—Reuter.

JERUSALEM ARABS KILL SOLDIERS

Two Men of Black Watch in Jerusalem Shot Down

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Jerusalem, Nov. 6.

Two soldiers of the Black Watch were shot and killed at 7 p.m. yesterday when two Arabs fired on them with revolvers at close range. The soldiers, who carried only side arms, were walking on the main thoroughfare below the city walls at the time.

Both Arabs escaped to the valley leading to Silwan village, on the outskirts of Jerusalem. A large force of police is investigating the murders.—Reuter.

CRUCIAL PHASE OF SHANGHAI HOSTILITIES

This map shows the district around Shanghai with particular reference to points on Hangchow Bay where the Japanese have landed and are moving northwards towards Shanghai.

PROPAGANDA BALLOON SHOT DOWN BY CHINESE

Desperate Stand Along Creek in Face of Terrific Japanese Shelling and Bombing

IN all yesterday's desperate defence by the Chinese along Soochow Creek west of Jessfield the most striking incident to observers close by occurred in the middle of the afternoon. At 3 p.m. the Japanese sent up a balloon with a long streamer attached on which were Chinese characters stating that the Japanese had landed 1,000,000 men on the north coast of Hangchow Bay, near Chapoo. The balloon floated peacefully up to a high altitude but was promptly made a target by Chinese rifles. Within half-an-hour the target was hit; it crumpled up and fell ignominiously to the ground.

A dense smoke screen was laid across the western battlefront yesterday afternoon. It was obviously not laid from the air by planes and seemed to be deliberately caused by the burning of some substance on the ground. Whether the smoke screen was sent up by Chinese or Japanese was impossible to determine definitely from east of the railroad tracks.

When a huge Japanese tri-motored monoplane cruised low around the Shanghai western front just before noon yesterday, shots sounded from so many near-at-hand quarters that watchers sheltering in the Jessfield Park entrance felt centred uncomfortably in the very midst of war. Twice this juggernaut of the skies—that it was the largest battlecraft seen in local hostilities was remarked by many observers—slowly circled the Jessfield area at an altitude of less than 500 ft. So low was it flying in and out of the cloud banks that one British Army sergeant exclaimed amazedly, "Why I could grab it if I had a long enough arm:"

The retaliatory small-arms' fire—only occasionally did any discharge heavier than .303 fire sound—was so severe and from so many quarters that plating on the plane seemed to be the only explanation of flying in such utter scorn of harm from the ground. Two circles were made before the plane headed for its base. When over the country just west of the Jessfield Railway Station on the second circuit, the plane unloaded ten bombs in the one release. The raid represented the first visitation of Japanese aircraft since the Loyals resumed duty in that sector on Friday afternoon.

All day yesterday the Chinese defenders absorbed terrific punishment from bombs and shells. Owing to rain and cloudy atmosphere, Japanese bombing was curtailed in the morning to few planes, but in the afternoon a large number kept the region almost constantly noisy with the explosion of bombs.

The loudest noise was made by a battery of Japanese guns which appeared to be close to the northern boundary of St. John's University. When they fired, the sound seemed deafenly close to observers in the Jessfield area.

The Chinese, last night, were still holding their line up to Soochow Creek as far west as Warren Road. At Warren Piece the Japanese were making desperate attempts to cross and the sound of long machine-gun bursts and rifle fire was almost constant, especially in the early morning and through the afternoon.

Fighting At Warren Piece

The heaviest punishment from shell fire and bombing was received by the Sun Sing Cotton Mill, located close to the Soochow Creek, a little west of the Toyoda Mill. Here and just a little farther west at Warren Piece was the most intensive fighting. Warren Piece is about 1½ miles up the Soochow Creek from the British military posts J1 and J2 which are still occupied although the barracks just behind in Jessfield Park have been evacuated.

Although Chinese and Japanese reports vary greatly, it seemed clear to observers that the Japanese had succeeded in getting a large number of men across the creek between Warren Piece and Rubicon Village.

A solitary Japanese flag could be seen in the afternoon waving above a building about one mile south of the creek towards Lincoln Road.

Except for that one salient the Chinese continue to hold their lines along the creek despite heavy punishment. Chinese machine guns mounted close to the creek were firing at Japanese planes through most of the afternoon. Although the planes flew at low altitudes at times, no hits appeared to be made. No planes were brought down.

Accurate Shelling

Shells from a Japanese battery north of the creek were falling accurately on a Chinese trench at one time in the afternoon. The Chinese soldiers could be seen running south from the trench. When the bombardment ceased, these Chinese soldiers could be seen running back to the trench. They had only returned for a short time when shells again fell in their midst.

A great deal of activity was observed yesterday along Chungshan Road north of the creek. Japanese troops, transport-trucks, and cars were seen moving up in large numbers towards the creek. No tanks were in evidence in the vicinity of the creek as far west as Warren Piece.

DUKE OF WINDSOR'S TOUR POSTPONED

Furore Over Mr. Bedaux as Guide Causes Decision

LABOUR DEMONSTRATIONS HAD BEEN PLANNED

Paris, Nov. 6.

The Duke of Windsor has decided to postpone his visit to the United States as a result of the uproar in America over his alleged selection of Mr. Charles Bedaux, originator of the speed-up system for factories as his guide.

An official statement, on behalf of the Duke, says he decided on postponement with great reluctance and after much deliberation but feels that, owing to the grave misconceptions which have arisen and the misstatements which have appeared in regard to the motives and purpose of his industrial tour, there is no alternative but to defer it for the present.

The Duke emphatically repeats that there is no shadow of justification for any suggestion that he is allied to any industrial system, or that he is for or against any political or racial doctrine. He expresses the earnest hope that after this announcement his real sincere motive for his proposed visit to America will be properly understood.

Mr. Bedaux's Plea

Before the Duke made his decision to cancel his trip, he received a cable from Mr. Bedaux in America reading: "I respectfully suggest, and in your behalf implore, that you relieve me completely from all my duties in connection with your American tour." I am compelled, in honesty and friendship, to advise you that, owing to the mistaken attack on me here, I am convinced that your proposed study would be difficult under guidance."

The storm over the tour was precipitated by a resolution passed by the American Federation of Labour "condemning" the Duke for selecting as his guide Mr. Bedaux, who was referred to as the "arch-enemy of labour."—Reuter.

Labour View Wanted

Washington, Nov. 5.

The Duke of Windsor would be welcome to make a study of labour and housing conditions in the United States, providing he selected as guide "a man acceptable to labour," Mr. J. P. McGurdy, president of the Baltimore Federation of Labour and author of the original condemnatory resolution, said to-day.—United Press.

Hostile Demonstration

New York, Nov. 6.

The wisdom of the Duke's postponement of his trip became more apparent last night when it was reported that hostile demonstrations had been planned.

Labour circles reported that labour had been preparing a nation wide attack on the Bedaux factory speed-up system and indicated that the feelings of the Duke and Duchess woud not have been spared during their inspections of industrial centres.

There is no doubt the Duke's decision has done much to mollify those who bitterly attacked the projected tour. Opposition was entirely directed against the Duke's associates, not against himself.—Reuter.

ITALY ADHERES TO TRIPARTITE ANTI-RED PACT

Rome Reassures China of Neutrality in Asia

COMMUNISM "MENACE"

Berlin Repeats Accord Has No Arms Clause

Rome, Nov. 6.

The tripartite anti-Communist pact between Italy, Germany and Japan was signed at 10.57 this morning at the Palazzo Venezio with Italy adhering as an original signatory.

The Italian Government is believed to have intimated to the Chinese Government, on the eve of the signature that it is not supporting Japan in the present conflict and that it is officially entirely neutral.

Although the Italian press has expressed sympathy with the Japanese, arguing that the Japanese are fighting Communism, it is claimed that Italy desires to be friendly with both sides.

The anti-Communist agreement was signed at 11 o'clock this morning at the Palazzo Venezia, the residence of Signor Mussolini. Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Ambassador to Great Britain, previously arrived here to represent Germany. Il Duce was not present Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, signed for Italy, while Mr. Masaaki Hotta, the Japanese Ambassador in Rome, represented Japan.

An official communique announcing the German statesman's arrival described him as the special envoy of the Fuehrer. The pact, it is emphasized in Berlin, is directed solely against Communist activity abroad. The Sino-Japanese conflict is entirely omitted from all reference in the new agreement.

The preamble of the protocol declares that the signatories consider that the Communist International continues constantly to endanger the civilized world in the East and West, and to disturb and destroy peace and order. They are therefore convinced that only close collaboration between all states interested in the maintenance of peace and order can limit and remove this danger.

Reference is also made to the Fascist regime's elimination of the Communist International from Italy and her decision to range and defend herself against the common enemy.

The anti-Comintern pact binds together 200,000,000 people and nearly 2,000,000 tons of warships, writes Signer Gayda in the "Giornale Italia." The armed forces of the three Powers, he states, give concrete warning and significance to the political act concluded to-day.

To the 200,000,000 people thus linked together, he adds, must be added tens of millions of friends and associates in Europe and Asia who have a solid unity in internal affairs and a determined will in international affairs and can put together another 2,000,000 tons of warships. This figure is rapidly rising, he concludes.—Reuter.

Tokyo Statement

Tokyo, Nov. 6.

The Foreign Office has announced Italy's adherence to the anti-Comintern Pact between Germany and Japan, which was signed in Rome to-day.

In a statement issued to-day, the Japanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Hoki Hirota, declared that ever since Nov. 25 last year the Japanese and German Governments have thought it most desirable that Italy should join the anti-Communist agreement, thereby enhancing its effectiveness as an instrument in fulfilling its high mission of safeguarding world peace and civilization.

"It is a source of profound gratification and joy to the Japanese people," Mr. Hirota said, "and, I believe, all Germany, that through the wise decision of Signor Mussolini and Count Ciano, the present tripartite agreement has been signed, by which Italy as an original signatory participates."

The German Ambassador, Dr. Herbert von Dirksen, has expressed Germany's great and sincere satisfaction that through the conclusion of the trilateral pact two "allied" states, Germany and Japan, and Italy come and shake hands with each other.—Reuter.

Drive in South America

Rome, Nov. 6.

A campaign to interest South American states in joining the anti-Communist Pact is expected to be instigated by Italy shortly, according to diplomatists here.—United Press.

SOVIET AMBASSADOR GIVES WARNING

Armies of World Must Stay Shy of the Red Army

New York, Nov. 5.

A warning to the armies of the world against matching their strength with the Red Army on the battlefield was given by M. Troyanovsky, the Soviet Ambassador, in a speech today at Carnegie Hall, commemorating the 20th anniversary of the Soviet Union.

"Such a test," the envoy said, "might prove disastrous for any aggressor."

He declared that "aggressors, in preparing for attacks, had tried to establish a strong network of spies in Russia and had also used various degraded elements which were conspiring against our form of government but we eliminated these elements and fortified the army."

Declaring that Communism was not the issue in China and Spain, the Ambassador said that "many aggressors clamoured to fight against Bolshevism and Communism in order to create a smoke-screen for attacks against other parts of the globe."

"In any case," he added, "the Soviet is ready for any emergency and for the defence of her borders. She wants to co-operate with all peace-loving countries to maintain peace."—Reuter.

Passage Safety on Whangpoo

British shipping companies in Shanghai were informed yesterday that the question of the safety of shipping has been further considered by Admiral Sir Charles Little, Commander-in-Chief, who states that in view of the fact that there has been no case of a British ship or lighter containing cargo having been hit by shell or bomb while on passage above Gough Island to the Settlement or French Bund it is his opinion that the risk of cargo making this passage is no greater than the risk on Gough Island or at the neutral anchorage. The military situation in the Pootung district make conditions in the Whangpoo still unstable which may require modification of the official view regarding the safety of passage, but shipping companies will be speedily informed of changes.

German-Polish Minority Issue Amicably Ended

Notable Contribution Made Towards Good Relations

AGREEMENT SIGNED FOR FREEDOM TO RIGHTS

Berlin, Nov. 6.

An important development in relations between Germany and Poland is marked by the conclusion of an agreement to-day concerning the treatment of their respective minorities.

The pact forbids any attempt to assimilate the minority, grants minorities free use of their language and the right to form organizations, maintain schools and have church services in their own language, and provides that they should not be hindered in the profession or acquisition of real estate.

Herr Adolf Hitler, in receiving a delegation of the Polish minority in Germany, expressed the hope the agreement would further friendly relations between Germany and Poland. He announced he had ordered the release of a number of Poles arrested in Germany on a charge of illegal political activity.—Reuter.

German Comment

Berlin Nov. 6.

"The new principles laid down by Germany and Poland regarding their minority policy deserve thorough attention abroad," writes the semi-official "German Diplomatic Political Correspondence."

The "Correspondence" points out that the League of Nations was hardly anywhere able to achieve a satisfactory settlement of the minority problem while Germany, not a member of the Geneva institution, once more successfully demonstrated that with the good-will of those directly concerned, practical solutions can be reached in this field of vital importance for harmony among nations.

"This willingness to continue on the way of understanding and good neighbourship finds its expression also in the determination that, contrary to the desire of some foreign quarters to drag the Danzig question via Geneva as an aggravating element into the German-Polish relations, these relations shall not be disturbed by that question just as the developments in the free city during the past two years have not led to a disturbance in the German-Polish relations."—Trans-Ocean.

BRITAIN, HOLLAND LOOK TO EAST

Naval and Air Bases Will Be Strengthened

Paris, Nov. 6.

Great Britain and the Netherlands are making every effort to reinforce their Far Eastern naval strength to face the Japanese threat, declares M. Rene Labruyere, naval correspondent for "Le Petit Parisien."

Japanese naval expansion to south-eastern Asia and occupation of islands near Indo-China, are the main reasons for this. Britain is particularly bent on protecting the Indian Ocean by closing the Malacca Straits.

The base at Singapore will be completed by the end of 1939 at a total cost of more than £10,000,000. With a floating drydock anchored at Singapore capable of handling vessels up to 55,000 tons, the port will then become the base for a new formidable Pacific squadron. The total cost for completing or improving naval and air bases in the Indian and Pacific areas will amount by 1940 to £30,000,000. Singapore alone will be equipped with four aerodromes, of which only two exist at present. Hongkong will also be strengthened.

The Netherlands has also made a great effort to strengthen her position in the Netherlands East Indies. The naval budget for 1938 amounts to 37,200,000 guldens, which is double that of last year. Her fleet at present in the Far East, of three cruisers, one division of four destroyers, several gunboats and mine layers, will soon be reinforced by at least two flottilla leaders and several submarines.

The Netherlands recently concentrated much effort in building of submarines, her present fleet consisting of 32 vessels, with four more in the yards. One of the most modern of these submarines covered 23,500 miles in a recent cruise to India, demonstrating the remarkable seagoing qualities of these undersea craft.—Havas.

BRITISH ENVOY CALLS AT GAIMUSHO

Tokyo, Nov. 6.

Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador to Japan, this morning conferred for half-an-hour with Mr. Kensuke Horinouchi, Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs. The nature of the interview was not revealed.—Domei.

NEW INVITATION TO BRUSSELS IS SENT TO JAPAN

Pains Taken to Avoid Minatory Attitude

MANY AMENDMENTS

Personnel of Mediatory Committee Studied

Brussels, Nov. 6.

The letter to Japan from the Powers represented at the Brussels Conference has been finally approved and a copy was handed to the Japanese Embassy here this afternoon.

The full text has been cabled to the Belgian Embassy in Tokyo and will not be published until it has been received by the Japanese Government.

The two Italian amendments were received last night, but neither proposed any essential modification. The drafting committee, which met at 9.15 this morning, was therefore able to reach a speedy agreement on the final terms.

Meanwhile, the Conference has agreed to meet again next Tuesday. The week-end will be devoted to discussion of questions of procedure, notably the composition of the sub-committee which will eventually make contact with China and Japan.

Important U.S. Point

The British amendments were all of a textual nature, while none of the others modified the general lines of the memorandum.

The United States submitted the most important amendment, proposing to paraphrase the passage in President Roosevelt's historic speech in Chicago—without, of course, quoting the President—pointing out that the conflict in the Far East is not the exclusive concern of China and Japan but interests the whole world, and which it is the duty of all men of goodwill to circumscribe.

One of the French amendments called for a sympathetic reference to the goodwill and spirit of conciliation shown by China.

A feeling of qualified optimism prevailed particularly in British and American circles, as a result of yesterday's meeting, when there was more general participation in the discussion. The Dominions especially took a useful share. Criticism was not hostile but generally constructive. If any delegation hoped the conference would select a small committee to remain in being while the delegations returned home, such a hope has for the moment miscarried. It is noted that China's attitude has been eminently reasonable.

All Depends on Japan

Some sterile days must elapse before Japan's reply is received. If Japan asks for details of the small committee proposed, it will possibly involve a delay. It is not clear what will happen if Japan accepts the invitation to discuss the Sino-Japanese dispute or, which is more likely, rejects the appeal.

Japanese circles in Brussels make no secret of their conviction that Tokyo's reply will be very categorically negative. The Conference would then naturally be forced to seek other sources in fulfilling its mission and finding a specific solution to the Far Eastern problem.

The announcement that the Advisory Committee of 23 has been tentatively summoned for November 21 is a reminder that if the Conference fails, the League has yet to have a say on this momentous problem.—Reuter.

Chinese Satisfaction

Brussels, Nov. 6.

Chinese circles here expressed satisfaction to-day with the Note being sent to Tokyo as the document includes reference to Chinese grievances as well as to those of Japan against China.—Havas.

GERMANY MAY ACT AS MEDIATOR

Favourable Position To Do So Is Argued

Berlin, Nov. 6.

A strong current of optimism is noticeable in German political circles over the possibility of the Sino-Japanese hostilities being brought to an end in the not too distant future and the hope, amounting to belief, that Germany will be the mediator.

Germany, it is pointed out, is in a particularly favourable position to mediate, because she has fewer material interests in the Far East than most other Powers represented at the Brussels Conference.

It is also emphasized that Germany no longer has any concessions in China and has made a point of observing the strictest impartiality during the present conflict. This latter argument is also presented as the reason for Germany's non-attendance at Brussels.

Confirmation of the report that the Japanese peace terms are already in the hands of the German Government has hitherto been unobtainable, but it has not yet been denied. The conclusion strongly emerges that something in the nature of mediation is certainly moving.—Reuter.

Gaimusho Comment

Tokyo, Nov. 6.

Mediation between Japan and China is impossible in the present circumstances, a spokesman of the Gaimusho said to-day.

The report that Herr Adolf Hitler is contemplating mediation was described by the official as "propaganda spread by someone with an ulterior motive."—Domei.

STERLING CONTINUES ADVANCE IN LONDON

London, Nov. 6.

Sterling advanced above U.S. $5 parity with the dollar to-day, carrying bar gold to 140s 4d, as a result of continued hoarding in Continental financial centres.—United Press.

FRESH VEGETABLES COST MORE

Increased Prices for Most Items; Few Decreases

LIVE STOCK SUPPLIES REASONABLY ADEQUATE

A distinct tendency to increase was noticed in the prices of fresh vegetables during the week ending October 31, although the supplies were adequate, according to a report issued by the S.M.C.'s market officials yesterday.

Compared with those of previous week, the increases were:

Asparagus 60 per cent., bamboo shoots 50 per cent., French beans 33 per cent., chillies 29 per cent., cucumber 39 per cent., egg-plant 11 per cent., endive 25 per cent., green corn 25 per cent., green pepper 50 per cent., horse-radish 33 per cent., kale 50 per cent., green pepper 80 per cent., leeks 50 per cent., onions 60 per cent., small onions 67 per cent., spring onions 43 per cent., parsnips 50 per cent., potatoes 82 per cent., sweet potatoes 33 per cent., spinach 29 per cent., tomato 17 per cent., turnips 20 per cent., whitebeans 25 per cent., kohbah 33 per cent., and salt cabbage 68 per cent. Only artichoke, cabbage, carrots and vegetable marrow showed a decrease by 40, 17, 33 and 33 per cent. respectively.

Live Stock Adequate

The supply of live stock during the period, according to the official report, was reasonably adequate, but prices were on the up trend, except for calves, no doubt in anticipation of coming difficulties as a result of the development of hostilities. Both wholesale and retail meat prices remained steady. Average prices obtained from the Beef and Mutton Dealers Association three meat stallholders in markets and one leading butchery were as follows:—

Prices a pound:— Live Stock	Oct. 26	Oct. 31
Ox	$0.26	$0.30
Calf	$0.50	$0.45
Sheep	$0.35	$0.35
Pig (native)	$0.35	$0.36
Wholesale Prices a pound:—		
Beef	$0.258	$0.26
Veal	$0.44	$0.41
Mutton	$0.37	$0.353
Pork	$0.318	$0.315
Retail Prices a pound:—		
Beef	$0.503	$0.491
Veal	$0.706	$0.729
Mutton	$0.558	$0.494
Pork	$0.505	$0.492

Fish Supply Irregular

Regarding fresh fish prices during the period, they were, as usual, irregular. For instance, samli, whitebait, cuttlefish, crabs and carp increased from 13 to 67 per cent., over the previous week, whereas eel, Mandarin, shrimps, and yellow fish decreased from 2 to 17 per cent. There were fair supplies of bream and mackerel, whereas the supplies of cod, eel, pomfret, prawns, salmon, samli soles, whitebait, cuttlefish, crabs and ribbon fish were short. The supply of salted yellow fish, herring and jelly fish were fair at steady to decreasing prices.

Fruits were more plentiful at steady to decreasing prices. Apart from eggs, of which the supply was reported fair, the majority of items under the poultry and game category were reported short. Other foodstuffs, including milk, flour, rice and grain, were adequate in supplies at steady prices, with rice showing a decrease of 6 per cent. compared with previous week. Fuel supplies were fairly adequate at steady to decreasing prices.

FUNERALS

Mr. Frederick Large

In the presence of relatives and many mourners, funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon in the Bubbling Well Chapel for the late Mr. Frederick Large. Dean A.C.S. Trivett, of The Holy Trinity Cathedral, officiated. The deceased had been in China for the past 37 years and was a highly esteemed member of the community. He died last Thursday at the Country Hospital and is survived by a daughter, Miss Marjorie Large, who is now in Tientsin, and a son, Mr. G. C. Large, in Shanghai. Among those sending flowers were:—

Marjorie; Lolly and Cliff; Laura Fraser and Fantan; Frances, Marjorie and Norah; Victor; Margie and Geoffrey; Frances and Freddie; Rosem and George; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bell; Harvie Cooke & Co., Ltd.; Directors and Staff of Messrs. Malcolm & Co.; H. Berents and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Broughton, Kent, England; C. V. Jensen; Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Kelly; Dr. and Mrs. Chadwick Kew; Mr. and Mrs. E. Mandelert; Miss D. Cuthbertson; Miss V. Mann; Mrs. D. M. MacKenzie; Mrs. Martinson; Nan and Jim Moodie; Mr. L. F. Payne; Mr. and Mrs. C. Reeves; A. Reid; Mr. W. N. Scott; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Strike; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomson; Miss A. P. Thomson; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ward and family; Mrs. Isabella Williams and Enda; and others.

Mr. Vladimir Emanuel Stakios

Relatives and many friends were present yesterday afternoon in the chapel of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road, to attend the funeral services of the late Mr. Vladimir Emanuel Stakios, at which Father Borodin officiated. The deceased was an old Shanghai resident and is survived by his widow, Mrs. L. D. Stakios, a son, Emanuel, and daughter, Nina. Following the service, interment took place in the Bubbling Well Cemetery. The casket was carried to the grave by Messrs. G. Polychronides, F. A. Komarnitsky, D. Tsounias, G. Stamatdatus, G. G. Tsepluk and B. I. Horoshoon. Flowers were received from:—

Wife and Children; Granddaughter; Angelina; Jack; Whiteaway Laidlaw & Co., Foreign Staff; Whiteaway Laidlaw & Co., Chinese Staff; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Egle; Simon H. Leon; C. S. Lee, Malcolm & Co.; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sulelmani; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ward and family; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

GERMAN WARSHIPS IN ITALIAN PORT

Rome, Nov. 5.

A group of one cruiser and four destroyers of the German Mediterranean fleet, now escorting the three big "Strength through Joy" steamers, arrived at the Italian naval port of Gaeta to-day. Further German naval units are expected to arrive this evening.—Trans-Ocean.

BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER SPEAKS

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, was given a warm ovation in the House of Commons this week on his return to his duties following a brief respite owing to a severe attack of gout. Mr. Chamberlain, whose Government was given emphatic assurance of confidence in the House following the debate on the Address, is shown here speaking at the Conservative Party rally recently when he made his notable declarations on policy towards the Far Eastern and Spanish conflicts.

RULES TIGHTENED IN HONGKEW

Strict Control of Removal of Property

With Japanese residents returning to their homes in the Hongkew district from an enforced visit to Japan, the headquarters of the Japanese defence force in the Settlement yesterday announced that rules governing the removal of property, traffic and light control would be enforced without relaxation.

Those desiring to remove property from one place to another will still be required to secure a permit from the headquarters, at the Japanese Club, Boone Road.

Only the fortunate possessors of curfew passes will be allowed to appear in the streets between the hours of ten at night and five in the morning, while the regulations dealing with the control of light will be enforced strictly.

Residents Returning

The Japanese community in Hongkew is rapidly coming into its own again, according to the "Shanghai United News" which reported yesterday morning that shops are rapidly resuming their business interrupted by the outbreak of hostilities almost three months ago.

Up to November 2, the paper reported, 1,549 Japanese residents have returned to the Hongkew area. The journal adds that if those who returned after November 2 are added, the figure will probably reach 2,400.

APPEAL FOR MEDICAL PACKAGES

Needs of Slighty Wounded Soldiers Cared For

A drive for large quantities of clothing and of emergency medical packages was initiated Monday last by the Shanghai Emergency Relief Service at a meeting held at the Bankers' Association in Hongkong Road. Impetus is added to the drive by the advent of winter and the growing needs of slightly-wounded soldiers. The meeting, realizing that the time available was short, decided to start with an order for 10,000 of the medical packages, but it was realized that a far greater quantity was necessary if the drive was to be a success.

Each package costs the association ten cents, and the relief association is basing its appeal for assistance on the comparative cheapness of the packages and the fact that for this reason even large donations should be within the reach of most people. On the other hand, the society is also anxious to secure clothes and other funds to be used at its discretion in this relief work. The offices of the Shanghai Emergency Relief Service are situated at 280 Kiukiang Road, Telephone 95562.

MISSION SOCIETY'S SYMPATHY

Message to Chinese People From London Body

The following message has been passed by the Directors of the London Missionary Society and sent to China by the General Secretary, the Rev. A. M. Chirgwin, expressing the very deepest sympathy with the people of this country.

"The Directors of the London Missionary Society, being deeply conscious of the terrible sufferings of Chinese in the war zone and especially of their fellow Christians is consequence of the cruel war which has been inflicted upon their country and its people, hereby express to every one of those affected by this struggle their brotherly sympathy and Christian love. They feel themselves constrained to this expression of care by the fellowship they hold with all who bear the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. They assure their fellow Christians in China of a constant remembrance in prayer, asking that the divine gifts of courage and patience may sustain them in these days of evil and that God will reveal to them His Holy Will."

CHINESE WOMAN WOUNDED

A Chinese woman was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital from 101 Mandalay Road yesterday forenoon, suffering from a shell wound in one leg.

BRITISH WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Mrs. J. S. Whitney Head of Emergency Committee

Mrs. J. S. Whitney was re-elected chairman of the Emergency Committee of the British Women's Association at a recent meeting held to consider the question of the chairmanship. In view of prevailing conditions, it was agreed that the time was not opportune for the holding of an election and that the Emergency Committee formed early in September in the absence of most of the Executive Committee be re-elected for the time being.

The other members of the Emergency Committee are Mrs. J. C. Wynnes, Acting Vice Chairman; Mrs. L. Giles, Chairman of the Social Service Board, who has been co-opted, and any members of the Executive at present in Shanghai. Mrs. A. C. Godby has served on this Committee.

It is announced that catering arrangements have been re-organized, Miss Leighton of the Homeside Tiffin Club now being in charge of meals and refreshments. Teas and lunches are available as usual. In case of the latter, with the exception of those who come regularly, at least an hour's notice must be given.

Members of the Hospital Aid Department have resumed their Tuesday morning working and are making supplies for local hospitals. Those willing to help should apply to Mrs. Wynnes. It is hoped as more members return to resume activities in other Sections.

The Secretary would greatly appreciate it if members would write in or telephone and verify their addresses, especially those who have evacuated from the war areas.

Although a number of members have returned to Shanghai, it is not possible for the moment to make a calendar of events.

THREE ARMED ROBBERIES YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Two in Gordon Road District; One in Sinza

Three armed robberies were staged yesterday afternoon, making the total of hold-ups into four yesterday, the first being committed shortly after noon in a Seymour Road house. At 3 p.m., four men, three of whom were armed, broke into House No. 6, Lane No. 613, Sinza Road. It resulted in one of them being arrested by the police while nothing was stolen from the premises. Detectives attached to Sinza Police Station are investigating.

The other two crimes were committed in Gordon Road District. At 7.30 p.m., four men, three of whom carried pistols, entered 885 Ferry Road and, after intimidating the occupants, stole property of an unknown value, and decamped. An hour earlier, another four men, two armed, staged a hold-up at 6 Ching Wei Li, Medhurst Road, where clothing, jewellery and money to the value of $50 were stolen. The robbers all escaped.

THIEF ARRESTED IN BAND LEADER'S FLAT

Mr. J. M. Alindada, leader of the popular Metropole Cabaret orchestra, was the complainant in the First Special District Court yesterday in a case against Huang Zun-fah charged with stealing a quantity of clothing from Mr. Alindada's flat, 24, House No. 673, Weihaiwei Road, on Friday morning. The thief was seen by an amah who raised an alarm. Mr. Alindada overpowered the thief after a struggle in which his right wrist was slightly hurt by the thief, and handed him over to the police. The Judge sent the man to gaol for three months. Mr. Alindada carried on his baton-wielding in the cabaret on Friday night.

BRITISH SOLDIER SHOT ACCIDENTALLY IN Y'POO

Fusilier Ebrey, of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, was accidentally wounded by a revolver shot at about 8.30 p.m. yesterday, but the wound was not of a serious condition, it was reported from the British Military Hospital, where the soldier was taken in a Fire Brigade ambulance from the Waterworks pumping station in Yangtszepoo. The man was one of a detail of the British troops on guard duty at the station.

SS. FLINTSHIRE TO SAIL TO-DAY

Coastal Ships Keep Harbour Busy With Departures

PORT TO BE QUIET TO-MORROW

Coal and general cargo from Tsingtao will be brought into port late this afternoon by the ss. Shinfu, owned and operated by the shipping firm of Geo. L. Shaw; the ship will berth at the Kinleeyuen Wharf, and is to sail for Tinghai and Haimung with general cargo and passengers at about 11.30 a.m. on Tuesday.

Late yesterday, the Shire Line ss. Flintshire was expected to sail from the A.P.C. Kwang Hwa installation, Gough Island, between noon and 1 p.m. to-day, bound for Casablanca, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Antwerp, by way of Hongkong and the Straits. Exactly ten days hence, she will be followed by the Glen Line ss. Glengarry, bound for London' Rotterdam, Hamburg and Antwerp, via Manila and the Straits.

Coastal ships will keep the harbour busy to-day, with no less than five sailings listed. At 6 a.m., the I.-C. ss. Yatshing will sail from the Kinleeyuen Wharf, bound for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton, and she will be followed down the river an hour later by the C.N. ss. Wusueh, sailing from the French Bund for Tungchow.

Local Movements

At 8 o'clock this morning, the I.-C. ss. Pingwo sails from the Kinleeyuen Wharf, also bound for Tungchow, while at 10 o'clock the C.N. ss. Shengking will sail from the French Bund with cargo and passengers for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin. Finally, at about noon, the C.N. ss. Szechuen will be leaving the French Bund, bound for Amoy, Hongkong, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong.

Monday will be quiet, with only the Taksang coming into port in the morning from Hongkong and Swatow, to berth at the Peking Road jetty. On Tuesday, however, the I.-C. ss. Tungwo will be sailing at 8 a.m. from the Kinleeyuen Wharf for Tungchow, while the C.N. Co. have three sailings for that day—the ss. Taiyuan, from the French Bund at 10 a.m., for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin; the ss. Chengtu, from the French Bund at noon, for Wenchow, Swatow, Hongkong and Canton; and the ss. Hsin Peking, from the French Bund at 3 p.m., bound for Ningpo only.

FIRE BRIGADE ACTIVITIES

Brigade Watchtowers rendered nine reports on fires on November 5, seven in Chapei and two in Chenju.

The ambulance service had a busy day, answering 22 calls and conveying 20 persons to hospital. War casualties again appeared, four Chinese in the Western District, suffering from gunshot wounds, being attended to.

Fire calls were again light, only one small fire in a godown at 31 Chaotung Road being reported. This proved to be a quantity of alcohol alight and was quickly extinguished by Central Division.

Diamond Ring For War Funds

Madame W. W. Yen, wife of the former Ambassador to Soviet Russia, yesterday handed her diamond ring to Madame H. H. Kung, wife of the Minister of Finance and head of the women's section of the National Committee of Liberty Bonds, asking that it be converted into bonds. —Central News.

INCREASE SHOWN IN SERIOUS CRIME

Robberies and Burglaries Grow During Week

Crime in the more important classifications increased in the Settlement during the week ended yesterday, as compared with the previous week. There were thirteen armed robberies (increase of five), seventeen burglaries and breakings (increase of nine) and 12 snatchings (increase of four). On the other hand, only 11 cases of pocketpicking were reported (decrease of eleven), and 68 larcenies (decrease of eighteen). The total of 162 cases represented a decrease of fourteen from the total for the previous week.

Two hundred and eight arrests were made (decrease of 23).

An armed robber was captured by the Settlement Police shortly after midday yesterday when detectives and others responded to an alarm at House 29, Lane 606, Seymour Road, where a gang of five men had attempted to make a looting. Three of the men carried pistols, but only one was seized.

EIGHT MONTHS IN GAOL FOR LOOTING

Charged with looting a house evacuated by its occupants, an unemployed man was sentenced to eight months' imprisonment in the First Special District Court yesterday. The prisoner was arrested by an Indian watchman after he had broken into and stolen clothing valued at $100 from 1255 Kung Yue Alleyway, North Szechuen Road, on Thursday night. The occupants of the house evacuated at the beginning of the hostilities and the alleyway was deserted except for the Indian watchman.

AMERICA CONTRIBUTES TO CHINESE RELIEF

Washington, Nov. 6.

The American Red Cross announced here to-day that an additional $40,000 had been alloted to Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, American Ambassador to China, for the purchase of hospital equipment and medical supplies in China. Part of the funds, it was indicated, will be used in payment for blood transfusions.—United Press.

STATE VISIT OF KING OF THE BELGIANS

London, Nov. 5.

Details of the state visit of the King of the Belgians to London on November 16, 17 and 18, were issued to-day.—Wireless through Reuter.

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14.00 News in German (B)
14.15 Sunday concert (B)
15.00 News (B), (P)
15.45 Orchestral concert (B)
16.15 Soccer: Chelsea v. Sunderland (D)
16.40 Two pianofortes (D)
17.00 Newsletter, sport summary (D), News in French (P)
17.25 C. of E. service (D)
17.30 News (P), in German (B)
17.40 News in Italian (P)
18.15 Violin recital (D)
18.45 Soccer: Chelsea v. Sunderland (D)
19.00 Concert (B), (P)
19.10 Students' Songs (D)
19.40 C. of E. service (D)
19.43 Varied, till 21.20 (B)
20.00 News (B), (P)
20.30 "This is England," 5 (D)
20.45 Conventry Hippo. Orches. (D)
21.00 News in German (B)
21.15 Sunday Evening Programme (B)
21.30 Newsletter, sport summary (D), News in French (P), Lyric Serenade, 13.9 (NY)
22.00 News (B)
22.15 Crystal Palace Band (D), Cembalo music (B)
22.30 Famous tenors/sopranos (B), Concert (P)
23.00 "Can You Beat It?" 5 (D)
23.15 Piano music (D)
23.30 Jewish ex-Servicemen's National Remembrance Service (D), Amer. Soc. of Ancient Instruments, 16.9 (NY)
23.45 Newsletter, sport summary (D)
00.10 Soldiers songs (D)
00.20 Alfredo Campoli's Salon Orches. (D)

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WINNERS' PACK MAIN FACTOR IN EIGHT-NIL VICTORY

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AREA DETAILS LOSE CLOSE MATCH

THE rain did its best to put a stop to week-end sports, but it only served to give rugger players a slippery pitch to play on yesterday with the result that it was a day for the forwards. The Shanghai Rugby Club's senior pack demonstrated their ability in no small way by being mainly instrumental in earning the Club team's victory by a goal and a penalty goal (8 points) to nil over the strong Welch Fusilier's XV.

Granite like pitches have been all too frequent here, and while yesterday's rainsoaked turf proved rather the other extreme, it gave an opportunity for robust tackling without having to worry about finishing up with bruised or broken limbs.

The Club's victory came as something of a surprise, for it had been expected that the Welch would run out winners, especially after their impressive showing of several weeks previously. Yesterday's Club side was definitely stronger than that which opposed the crack Army team on the earlier occasion, but it was not the strongest that could be mustered, and hence the expectation of an Army victory.

Weather Deciding Factor

The weather, however, proved the deciding factor of the day, for the Welch, who favour the open game, and who continually stuck to their guns in attempting to give their threes every opportunity despite the difficulty of handling and running, were playing on conditions not suitable to their usual brand of play.

The Shanghai team on the other hand, had their best forwards out and these rose to the occasion in no small way. They kept the ball at their feet, were very prominent with footrushes—all members backing up and carrying the tide of attack by weight of concentrated numbers, and from the set scrummages they adopted the tactics of keeping the ball in the second rank—wheeling and taking it with them.

A. M. Kennedy who led the pack was well to the fore and was ably backed up by I. M. Macrae, the two holding the forwards together very well. S. A. Wallace must surely earn a right to inclusion in the senior Shanghai side as a result of his successive good performances this season, capped yesterday by some very good play.

Thornley Impressive

With the Shanghai team concentrating on forward play, their outsides were not as much in the attacking limelight, but several of the threes put up some very fine defensive work, S. M. Thornley being the most impressive. Time and again he went down in the face of a Welch footrush—when the Army team did change their form of attack—and despite his small stature, he was instrumental in saving several certain tries. Towards the end of the game, he came into prominence in the attack, accepting a pass with one hand, and gathering it in, slippery as the ball was, to go on and come within a yard of scoring—a fine effort.

The Welch Fusiliers were up against a considerably stronger side than they met on the previous match against a Club side. In contrast to the succession of three quarter movements they went through on the earlier match, they found their opposite numbers in the local pack more than their equals, and they hardly saw their fair share of the ball from the tight—or in the lineouts. When they did get it back, their halves were sat upon by the Club wing forwards and the marking of the threes was close enough to give their men very little scope.

It is understood, their outstanding player, L/Cpl. Floyd, who usually assumes the stand off half position was unable to play, but the team otherwise was practically up to full strength. Their forwards attempted to heel the ball to give their threes every opportunity, but latterly followed the Shanghai tactics in footrushing, and these tactics on the day's conditions were undoubtedly the best to be adopted.

Fus. Barry was the best player in the side yesterday, his kicking at fullback being very impressive. He showed equal ability with both feet and found touch with length and accuracy, while his fielding of a slippery ball was good. Bruton at scrum half was prominent in footrushes and of the threes, Jones proved the most aggressive.

A CLUB XV:—W. P. Hetherington, G. S. O. Mayne, G. M. Mills, I. H. Aucott, S. M. Thornley, R. N. Bryant, G. E. Bennett, A. M. Kennedy, R. T. Burch, G. Gordon Brown, J. F. Burford, S. A. Wallace, W. D. Pearson, R. A. O. Mayne, and I. M. Macrae.
WELCH FUSILIERS:—Fus. Barry, L/Cpl. Jones, Fus. Kellshore, Phillips, Wilkins, Lt. Hood, Fus. Buton, Lt. Pritchard, Cpl. Davis, L/pl. Walton, L/Cpl. Cheney, Fus. Watkins, Cpl. Babb, Cpl. Carlisle, and Fus. Morgan.
Referee: G. S. Dunkley.

Club's Footrushes

Sheets of water lay on the pitch as the match started, but the ball did not become muddied to too great an extent and earlier attempts at threequarter movements were fairly successful. The Welch started one which resulted in Jones on the wing making a run, but being bundled into touch by a good tackle. The Club forwards set to work in adopting footrushes, and several of these took play close on the Welch "25." From here their first score came when the Army team was penalized and Macrae scored from the kick.

Play was transferred to the other end, and Thornley went down to stop a Welch footrush just in time. Pressure was applied by the Welch and Barry found touch inside the Club "25", their several attempts at scoring from the lineout being just short of success.

In the second half the Club started off strongly and Wallace went away to follow up the ball after it had been kicked ahead, his effort being successful when he fell on the ball to score. Macrae converted to add the extra points. The Welch thereafter pressed strongly and Jones on the wing was unlucky when he took the ball at his feet and went over to score near the flag, only to be pulled up for crossing the touchline just before he had scored. Successive attempts by the Welch proved unsuccessful, and the game ended without change of score.

A RALLY OF ENGLISH OARSMEN

Training Rows Again Held on Soochow Creek

A rally of English oarsmen took place yesterday, when three fouroared crews made training rows on the Soochow creek, starting from the Clubhouse and going up as far as the Fokien Road Bridge.

While it is too late now to hold the Autumn Regatta, training rows have been going on apace since the Japanese authorities were informed of the Club's intention to use the now cleared waters of the creek, which prove an ideal venue for rowing at present.

The first few attempts to resume training, took place on the Creek several weeks ago, but sentries on the bridges waved the crews back to the Boathouse. Since then the Japanese authorities were again informed of the reason for resuming the season's training for oarsmen, and no further objection has been raised.

Daily training on these waters has been taking place during the past few weeks. It is not often that oarsmen have the opportunity to row on the smooth waters provided by the creek, which all too often in the past have been bottled up by myriads of junks and small craft which have made navigation, to any great extent up the creek, difficult.

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THE SHANGHAI BOWLING CONGRESS TABLES

The team and leading individual standings in the "A" Division Duck Pin League of the Shanghai Bowling Congress to November 6 were as follow:—

	High Singles	High Triple	Games won	Games lost	Total Pinfall
Foreign Y.M.C.A.	547	1605	8	1	4708
4th Marines	573	1584	6	3	4632
Columbia Country C.	536	1545	2	4	3041
S'hai Race Club	532	1544	2	4	3063
American Club	476	1408	0	6	2796
Individual high single, Ramsey					148
Individual high triple, Squires					379

INDIVIDUAL STANDINGS

	High Singles	High Triple	Games played	Pinfall	Average
Squires (S.R.C.)	138	379	6	717	119.5
Bardwil (Y.M.C.A.)	111	—	1	111	111
Inwood (Y.M.C.A.)	132	337	9	992	110.2
Mosoler (Y.M.C.A.)	128	345	9	907	109.7
Ramsey (Marines)	148	357	9	983	109.2
Hilden (C.C.C.)	136	338	6	641	106.8
Butler (Marines)	124	350	9	957	106.6
Hale (C.C.C.)	113	329	6	637	106.1
Pote-Hunt (S.R.C.)	117	317	6	633	105.5
Kohnert (Y.M.C.A.)	115	316	9	941	104.6
Khouri (Y.M.C.A.)	120	322	6	627	104.5
Smith (C.C.C.)	112	311	6	614	102.3
O'Toole (Marines)	136	314	9	909	101
Henningsen (S.R.C.)	118	307	6	604	100.7
Cushman (Marines)	118	311	9	894	99.3
Nance (C.C.C.)	107	298	6	594	99
Higginson (Marines)	119	308	9	887	98.6
Shanahan (A.C.)	107	305	4	394	98.5
Cameron (Y.M.C.A.)	108	303	6	776	97.
Klovekorn (A.C.)	109	289	6	577	96.2

D. Maskell (All England, L.T.C.) who is coach to the British Davis Cup Team, lost his title as Professional Champion of Great Britain, which he had held for nine years, to T. C. Jeffrey MelBury) by 6-8, 10-8, 13-11, 6-4, at Devonshire Park, Eastbourne. Jeffrey had been runner-up a number of times.

CLUBE LUSITANO LOSE TO SAINTS

Lack of Costa, Victal Proves Costly for Portuguese

PETTERSON HIGH SCORER IN 11-1 CONQUEST

BY "SCRUTATOR"

The League encounter between the Saint Francis Xavier side and the Clube Lusitano, played on the Race Course yesterday, resulted in the overwhelming defeat of the Portuguese side by eleven goals to one. With both sides making such a good show last week, this result came as a surprise although both teams made changes. The Lusitano were without Costa and Victal, and this resulted in a defensive weakness of which the energetic Saints were always ready to take full advantage. Kabbert was also missing from the Saints line-up, but fortunately for them Rozario was not called upon to deal with a lot of work; that which came his way, however, was dealt with to the satisfaction of his team mates.

The partnership of Schultz and Foyn was a deadly combination and F. Foyn was given every possible opportunity by his inside man to keep the Lusitano defence on its toes. Petterson, at inside left, proved much more dangerous than he did at centre forward; in fact the line worked much smoother than in any previous game played this season. With S. Foyn giving his wing plenty of the ball, the right wing always spelt danger when it was on the move.

Lusitano's Weakness

The Saints made greater use of ground passes to make progress, and they did not bunch together in the same manner that the Lusitano did; in fact watchers saw rather the Lusitano of last season than the Lusitano that defeated the Recs. They had plenty of chances to score but failed because they would not shoot from a distance when well placed. They continued to try and get the ball into the goal area, with the result that Stangaard and Borodin were always well able to deal with their attacks.

Mr. Benyon was in charge of the game, and the teams lined up as follows, Lusitano winning the toss.

S.F.X.:—Rozario, Stangaard, Borodin, S. Foyn, Wailey, Garwood, F. Foyn, Schultz, Karolick, Petterson and Wailey.
LUSITANO:—Souza, Gonsalves, Marcal, J. Fonseca, C. Favacho, E. Silva, A. Fonseca, V. Sousa, L. Rozario, Collaco and Braga.

The Saints attacked, and got off their mark immediately, but Gonsalves intercepted a pass to send the Lusitano away. Stangaard found touch, and for a time Lusitano held territorial advantage. This start however was not sustained, and Foyn was sent away to test Souza who had no difficulty in clearing. The Saints were rather lucky in the next Clube attack. A. Fonseca sent to Sousa who placed the ball on for Rozario who took it forward. Just as he shot, Rozario ran out and the ball struck him to go for a corner, the keeper having no idea as to the position of the ball. A free kick against Sousa relieved pressure and the Saints attacked. They passed and repassed, no one in the front line appearing inclined to shoot, and J. Fonseca conceded a corner which was easily cleared.

Foyn Scores First

A long upfield pass saw Karolick and Freddy Foyn chase the ball, the centre slowing down as he reached the ball for Gonsalves to tackle. The centre duffed his shot but the ball travelled to Foyn who netted after 8 minutes play.

Schultz dribbled forward drawing Gonsalves; he placed to Foyn whose cross was cleared by Souza; Garwood fastened on, slipped it to Wailey who placed to Petterson who immediately returned it to his winger; and Petterson running in met the cross to blaze over the bar.

Lusitano had several chances to score hereabout but wasted them. A free kick taken by Silva was misjudged by Rozario; a scramble ensued, and V. Sousa netted. The point was disallowed due to the fact that a spectator had returned the ball into play.

After twenty-three minutes of play, the Saints scored. S. Foyn combined with Schultz and F. Foyn in a concerted movement which ended when Petterson headed home a fine goal from F. Foyn's cross.

Bad for Clube

Things began to look bad for Lusitano when Petterson scored again, turning Foyn's cross into the net after Karolick had missed the cross. The fourth goal came as the result of combination between Petterson and Wailey. The outside man swung the ball over to Freddy Foyn, who sent across the goal-mouth, and Schultz, running in between the backs, netted (41 mins.)

The Saints, now full of running, continued to press. Two minutes later, Marcal conceded a corner. Foyn crossed a fine ball which would have entered the net direct, but Petterson made certain by chesting the ball as it was crossing the line. Half-time arrived with the Saints leading by five goals to nil.

Lusitano changed their line-up at half time. V. Sousa going into the centre half berth, with J. Fonseca as centre forward. But this did not prevent the Saints from increasing their score. Petterson crossed for F. Foyn to duff his shot which Souza cleared; then Petterson again got well away, and V. Sousa, running back, tackled him just as he was about to shoot, to concede a corner. Wailey put over a good ball and Marcal in attempting an overhead kick placed the ball in the opposite corner of the net just as Freddy Foyn dashed in to try and help it on its journey.

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"N.C.D.N." Photo.

PETTERSON RISES TO THE OCCASION

One of the Saints' forwards, Petterson, heading in the second goal against Clube Lusitano in yesterday's First Division football game. The goal came from a good Foyn cross.

BARE KNUCKLE DAYS OF THE FANCY

McAuliffe Fought 74 Rounds v. Champion of England

OLD TITLE-HOLDER DIES AGED 71 YEARS

New York, Nov. 4.

One of the last survivors of boxing's bare knuckle era, Jack McAuliffe, former lightweight champion of the world, died to-day at the age of 71 from a throat ailment.

A protege and friend of Jack Dempsey, the old middleweight champion Jack McAuliffe became champion in 1884 when the original Dempsey outgrew the division because of weight difficulties and thus passed the title on to his friend.

Born in Cork, Ireland, on March 24, 1863 McAuliffe came to the United States as an infant and spent his boyhood in Bangor, Me.

In the early years of his reign as champion, McAuliffe, then a handsome, broad-shouldered youth, fought long, gruelling bouts with bare knuckles. Some of these bouts, fought in secrecy because of stern anti-fighting laws in many states, went unrecorded except for the bare results.

Canadian Champion Downed

For three years, many sportsmen refused to accept Jack McAuliffe as champion. They demanded he prove his worth. He did on January 14, 1887, when he knocked out Harry Gilmore, lightweight champion of Canada, in the 21st round. The bout was a non-title affair because it was fought with bare knuckles.

He fought his first accepted title bout on November 16 of the same year against Jim Carney, champion of England. Staged at Revere, Mass., the fight ended in a riot in the 74th round and the referee called it a draw. He retired as undefeated champion in 1892. Of the 55 bouts he engaged in, ten were knockouts, 32 decision victories, nine draws, three no-decisions and one exhibition.

In recent years he was interested in sports, particularly horse-racing. He also managed a few boxers. He ventured into politics in 1934, when he announced his candidacy for the state assembly. He was defeated in the primaries.

Despite his fondness for good living he was a well-preserved man, his face bore almost no marks of his savage ring fights. "No mark is the mark of the champion," he always used to say.—United Press.

DR. EUWE CREEPING UP IN WORLD CHESS PLAY

Amsterdam, Nov. 5.

Dr. Euwe, the champion, reduced the lead of the Russian challenger, Dr. Alekhine, to-day by winning the 13th game in the world's chess championship. The game was won after 67 moves.

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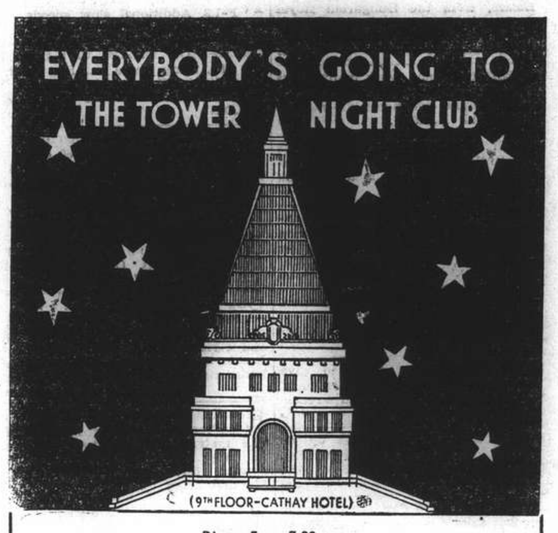

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LOST

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Birmingham 2, Huddersfield T. 2
Carlton A. 1, Derby County 2
Chelsea 0, Sunderland 0
Grimsby Town 2, Arsenal 1
Leeds United 1, Blackpool 1
Liverpool 3, Brentford 4
Middlesbrough 1, Everton 2
Portsmouth 1, Leicester City 1
Preston N. End 2, Manchester City 2
Stoke City 1, Wolverhampton W. 1
West Brom A. 2, Bolton W. 4

2ND DIVISION

Barnsley 4, Sheffield W. 1
Burnley 3, Norwich City 0
Bury 1, Aston Villa 1
Coventry City 0, Bradford 0
Luton Town 4, Blackburn R. 1
Manchester U. 0, Plymouth A. 0
Newcastle U. 3, Southampton 0
Nottingham F. 0, West Ham U. 0
Sheffield U. 0, Chesterfield 2
Stockport County 2, Fulham 0
Tottenham H. 2, Swansea Town 0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Accrington S. 1, Gateshead 5
Bradford City 1, Barrow 0
Carlisle U. 1, Oldham A. 1
Chester 1, New Brighton 2
Doncaster R. 3, Hartlepools U. 3
Halifax Town 1, Darlington 0
Rochdale 0, Lincoln City 1
Rotherham U. 2, Hull City 2
Southport 1, Wrexham 2
Tranmere R. 2, Port Vale 1
York City 1, Crewe Alexandra 2

3RD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bournemouth & B A 0, Watford 0
Brighton & H A 1, Bristol 1
Bristol Rovers 0, Aldershot 1
Cardiff City 4, Gillingham 0
Clapton Orient 0, Crystal Palace 2
Mansfield Town 1, Millwall 1
Northampton T. 1, Swindon Town 0
Queen's Park R. 0, Newport C. 0
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Walsall 0, Exeter City 2

Scottish League

1ST DIVISION.

Aberdeen 0, Hearts 0
Celtic 6, Partick Thistle 0
Dundee 2, Motherwell 2
Falkirk 3, St. Johnstone 1
Hamilton A. 2, Arbroath 2
Hibernian 3, Ayr United 0
Queen of the South 1, Clyde 1
Queen's Park 5, Morton 1
Rangers 4, Kilmarnock 1
St. Mirren 1, Third Lanark 4

2ND DIVISION

Airdrieonians 4, Dundee United 3
Alloa 2, Dunfermline A. 4
Brechin C. 3, Stenhousemuir 4
Cowdenbeath 3, Forfar A. 1
Dumbarton 3, Albion Rovers 2
East Fife 4, East Stirling 1
Edinburgh C. 1, Raith Rovers 6
Montrose 4, King's Park 2
St. Bernards 1, Leith Athletic 0

—Reuter.

TIMELY DROP GOAL WINS CONTEST

Aiers' Kick in Second Half Defeats Area Details

An opportune drop at goal, attempted by K. R. Aiers in the second half resulted in the Club team's victory over the Area Details by four points to nil in yesterday's rugby programme, the two teams playing out a very evenly contested match, wherein the wet conditions were instrumental in keeping both teams from scoring more often than they did.

The Area Details played their usual bustling game but found the Club able to stop their three-quarter movements, while the Club's efforts —concentrated more on forward work—enabled the local team to hold slightly more territorial advantage.

Hamlin, the Details' fullback, played a sterling game, and handled and kicked with confidence and accuracy, His touchfinding in defensive measures was extremely good, and his tackling was hard and effective. Of the Club team, Brown played a good defensive game, tackling well, while Yanus was most prominent among the forwards.

Aiers' try came in the middle of the second half when the ball came to Thomas from a loose scrum, and the stand off half passed to Aiers who took the opportunity to drop at goal, his kick being successful. The teams were:

A CLUB XV:—W. V. K. Chadwick, C. H. Guignard, K. R. Aiers, B. R. Brown, B. H. McMichael, A. Thomas, L. Komaroff, L. V. Fabian, R. J. Lucas, L. Momber, N. W. H. Gray, R. L. Stuart, L. D. M. Beattie, B. Yanus, A. L. A. Bonbernard.

AREA DETAILS:—Cpl. Hamlin, Pte. Wilmott, Glendenning, Capt. Barclay, Dvr. Wood, Pte. Kelly, Smart, Lt. Calvert, Pte. Sharp, Nieve, Lt. Bennett, Pte. Falkiner, Pte. Lomas, Baxter, Hirditch.

Referee: E. S. Barraclough.

THE CINEMA

"NEW FACES OF 1937"

Seymore Semore .....Joe Penner
Wellington Wedge .....Milton Berle
Parky .....Parkyakarkus
Patricia .....Harriet Hilliard
Jimmy .....William Brady
Robert Hunt .....Jerome Cowan
Elaine .....Thelma Leeds
Judge Hugo Straight ....Tommy Mack
Suzy .....Lorraine Krueger
Count Mischa Moody .....Bert Gordon
Hun't Secretary .....Patricia Wilder
Broker .....Richard Lane
Stage Manager .....Dudley Clements
Asst. Stage Mgr. .....Bill Corson
Doorman .....George Rosener
Bridge Guard .....Harry Bernard
Joe Guzzola .....Dewey Robinson

A farcical riot, which had the audience in an uproar throughout, opened at the Metropol Theatre yesterday. All the silliest gags and wisecracks were poured into the funniest, side-splitting show produced by RKO Radio Pictures. Based on a series of flops engineered by a crooked producer, Mr. Jerome Cowan, the new show is taken over by his erstwhile backer, Mr. Milton Berle, and with a succession of impromptu interruptions it unwinds itself screamingly to a sensational end. Heading the cast of comedians is Mr. Joe Penner, who has never been funnier. Miss Harriet Hilliard and Mr. William Brady are the crooning lovers who appropriately bring a lull into the picture to pave the way for more laughs. The plot is weak, but that is more than made up for by the antics of the cast. New talent and new faces, the objectives of the new show, are displayed quite amply in the short space of time allotted. There is not a dull moment in the whole and "New Faces of 1937" is warranted to drive anybody's "blues" away.

Proceding the main film was an interesting travelogue Whatever you feel like, go to see this picture. The climax of the picture must not be missed.—T.F.W.

KEEN COMPETITION AT NAVY "Y"

Service Teams Deadlocked at Top of Both Divisions of Cates Basketball Play

ENTHUSIASM continued to prevail in the Major Cates Basketball League at the Navy Y.M.C.A. when the third of a five-night series in Division 1 was played off yesterday. The "H" Company and Headquarters Second Battalion teams of the Fourth Regiment were again successful in Group "A" contests each winning for the third time while another Fourth Regiment outfit, "E" Company, and "H" Company of the Sixth Regiment are also in a deadlock with two straight wins apiece. Last night, however, the "E" cagers were kept idle, having no game to play. Reports on the five latest matches are as follows:—

After a slow start, the Vusic and Lock combination began to work again as the latter tallied four goals in a row to give the Headquarters Second Battalion, 4th. Regiment, a good lead of 10-4 at the end of the opening session. When the following period commenced, the Second Battalion hoopsters continued to dominate and scored at frequent intervals. "F" Company, although fighting its level best, failed to check the winners' onslaught and had to trail by a one-sided margin of 24-8 at half-time.

Upon resumption the leaders loosened their pressure as Lock was substituted by Marionelli. This vital change had telling effect for the "F" Company cagers immediately shot out as if released from a compressed spring. They outscored Vusic and his gang by 11-2 which caused the tally to become much closer, 26-19. Apparently unwilling to take any risk, Lock re-entered the court in the fourth quarter and fought like an underdog to save his team from an upset.

Bracken played well for Headquarters. He seemed to have a charmed life in the first sixteen minutes by countering five field goals.—Summary:

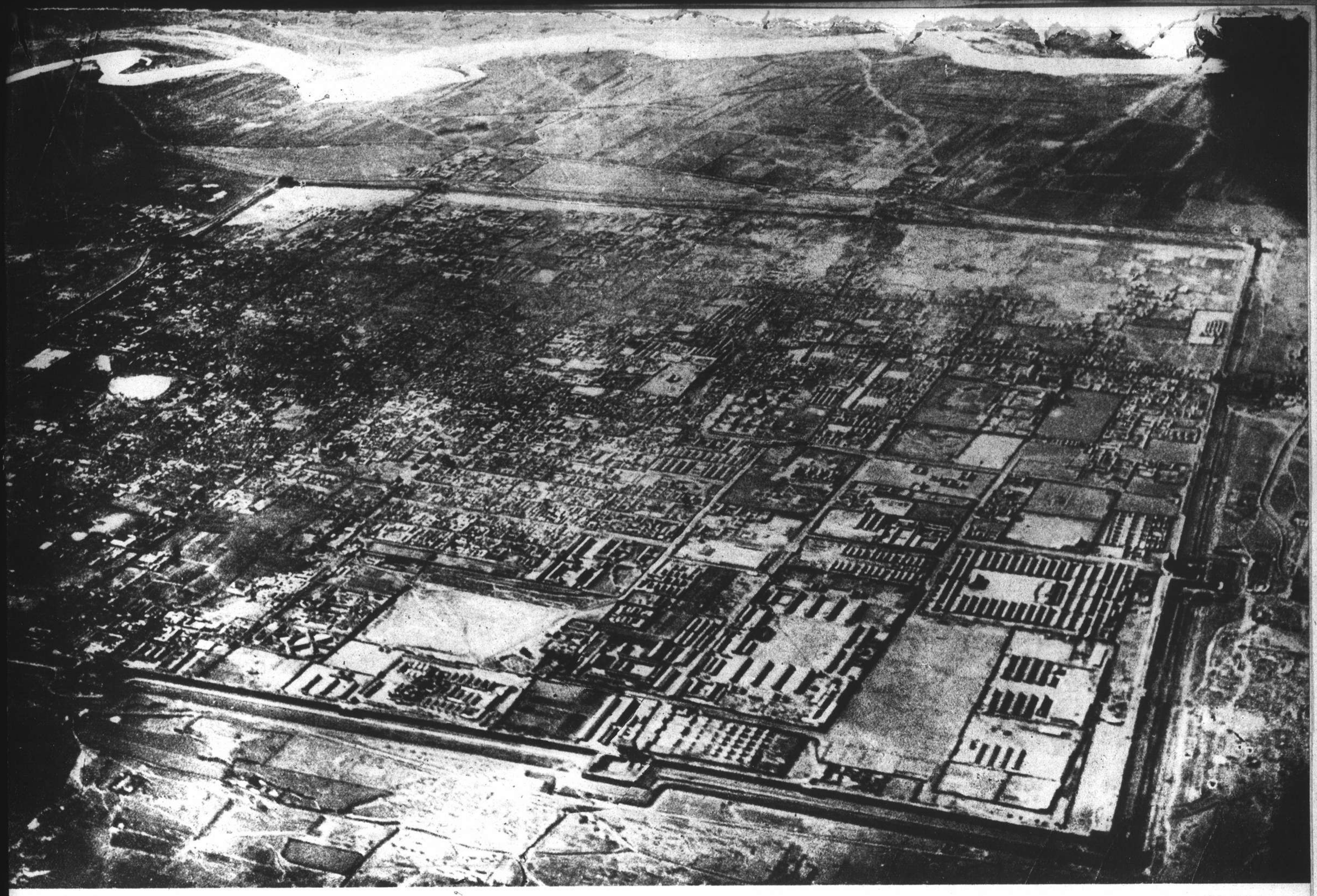
Hq. 2-4th.	fg.	ft.	f.	Pts.
Dunn	1	0	3	2
Bracken	6	0	0	12
Lock	5	0	0	10
Marionelli	0	0	0	0
Cushman	2	1	3	5
Hines	0	0	0	0
Stewart	0	0	0	0
Vusic	1	0	0	2
	15	1	6	31
"F" 4th.				
Breazeale	4	1	1	9
Green	2	1	1	5
Dobbs	5	1	0	11
Long	0	0	2	0
Bixler	1	0	1	2
Bernard	0	0	1	0
	12	3	7	27

"H" Co. 4th 29, "G" Co. 6th. 12

Playing in its usual machine-like manner, "H" Company of the Fourth Regiment lost no time in applying pressure on "G" Company, Sixth Regiment, going into a lead by 8-3 after the first eight minutes. Soloman's height was again brought to full use as he dropped in three baskets. The following period saw the winners run wild. While netting ten points in the offensive the quintette kept their goal intact and the opponents were held scoreless except for one foul shot. The two sides retired for half-time at 18-4.

Changing over, "H" Company certainly had lost its grip and played somewhat nonchalantly. Lewis and Solomon gradually grew to be patchy and scrappy with the result that each committed his fourth and last foul and was disqualified. Shortly afterwards the third quarter came to an end when the score stood 21-6. Upon termination of the match the winners led overwhelmingly by 29-12.

"H" Co. 4th.	fg.	ft.	f.	pts.
Solomon	3	2	4	8
Palmer	5	0	1	10
Lewis	1	1	4	3
Trees	2	0	0	4
Rook	0	0	1	0
Spielman	0	0	0	0
Guidetti	2	0	0	4
	13	3	10	29
"G" Co. 6th.				
Roberts	2	0	3	4
Smith	0	0	0	0
Allen	1	0	1	2
O'Connell	1	3	2	5
Lee	0	1	2	1
Knifton	0	0	2	0
Steiner	0	0	0	0
King	0	0	2	0



"N.-C.D.N." Phot

TAIYUANFU

THE walled capital of Shansi Province, Taiyuanfu, is the principal strategic objective of the Japanese war machine in the North, inasmuch as its possession by the Chinese keeps their right flank open to counter-attack at all times. Unless it is captured, the Japanese advance along the Ping-Han Railway is more or less nullified and further progress in a southerly direction cannot be made without huge reinforcements to protect the rear. This aerial view of Taiyuanfu indicates the flatness of the terrain, the invaders, it being reported, having driven the defenders from their mountain fastnesses.

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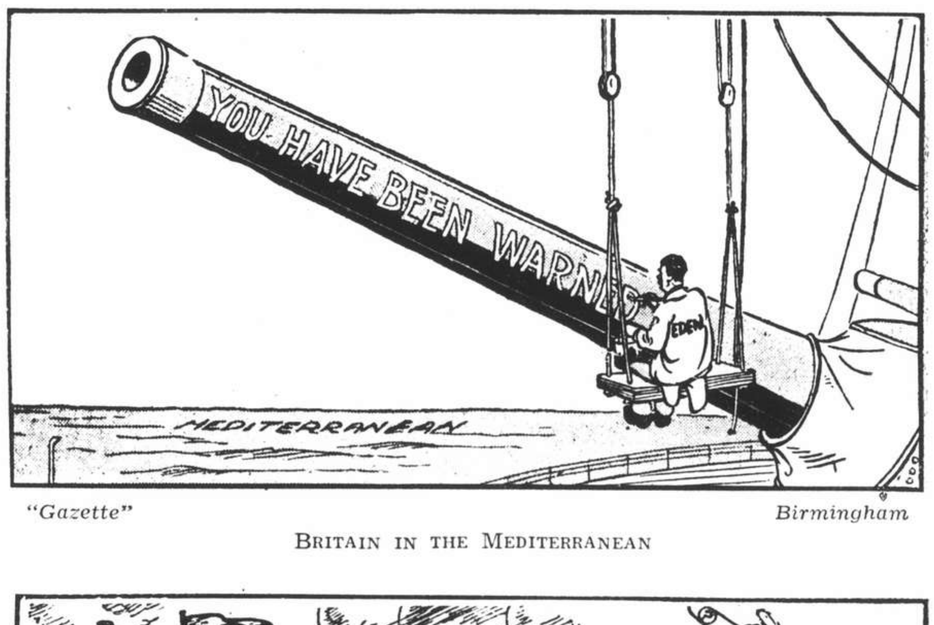

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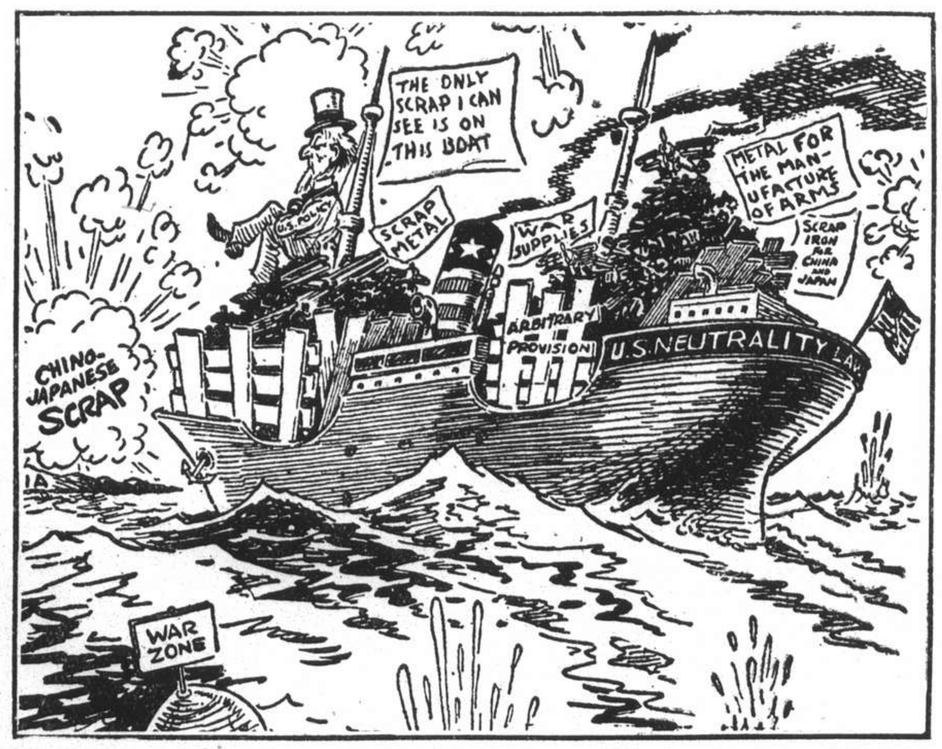

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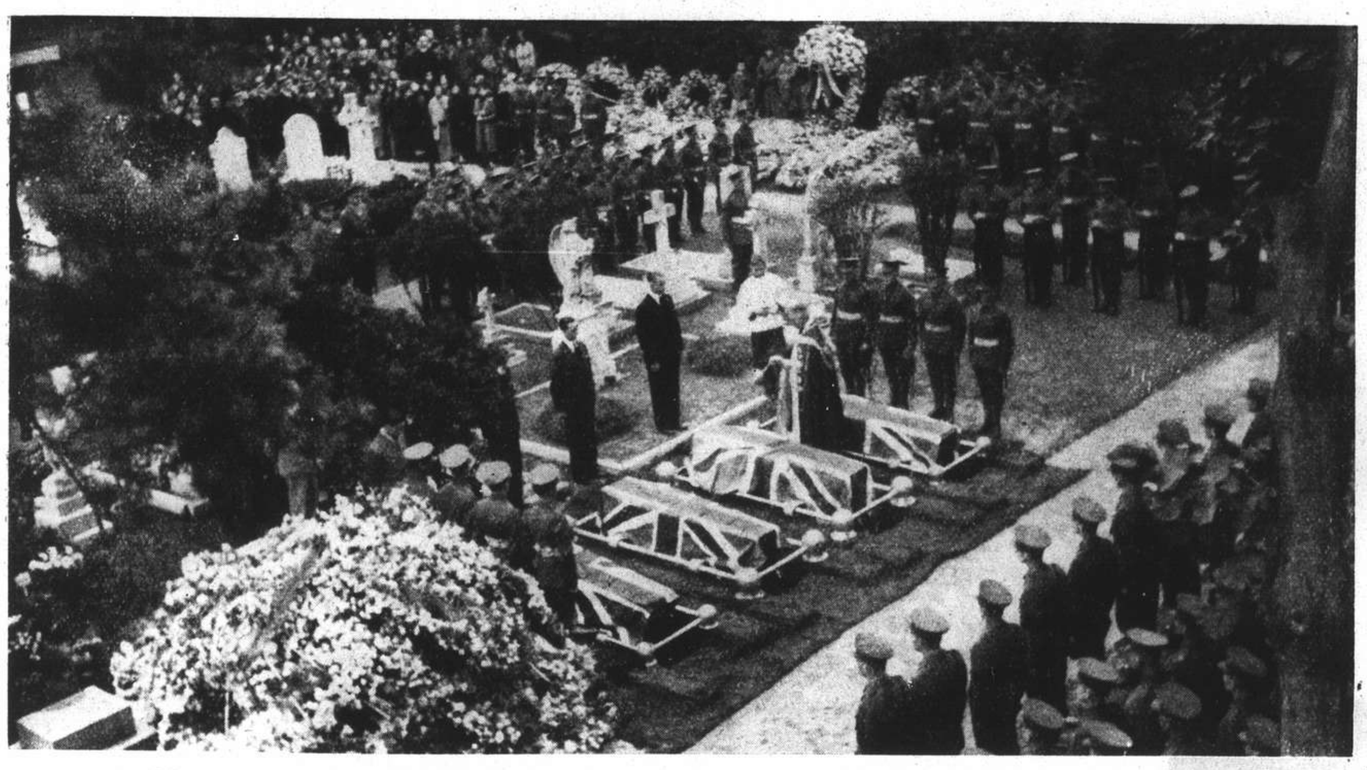
Sad Memories of Shanghai

"N.-C.D.N." Photos

Military honours were accorded Grenadier Padula Antonio di Giuseppe on October 29 (pictures at bottom of page) and Riflemen James Mellon, William Christopher Howard, James O'Toole and Robert Delaney of the 1st Ulster Rifles at Bubbling Well Cemetery on Monday.



The priest censing the four beflagged coffins.—*Courtesy "Daily Telegraph."*

Maj. E. V. Burke-Murphy, Col. F. R. W. Graham, Commodore F. E. Palliser and Lieut.-Col. J. E. Hume attend.

The hearses approaching the chapel.

With muffled drums the Loyals band heads the cortege.

Chinese extend their sympathy.

A profusion of floral tributes was sent to the cemetery.

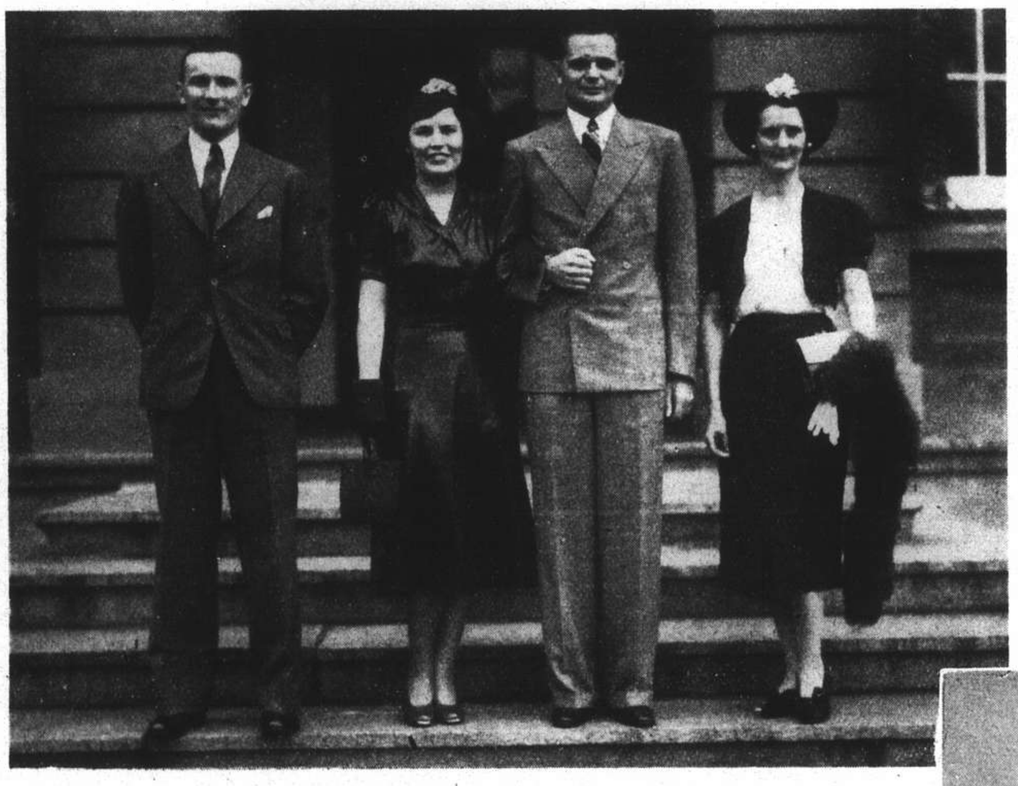
Commodore F. E. Palliser, Admiral Sir Charles Little, Admiral H. E. Yarnell, Maj.-Gen. A. P. D. Telfer-Smollett and Mr. C. S. Franklin.

Comrades from various services carrying the remains of Grenadier Padula Antonio di Giuseppe to the graveside.

Shanghai Personalities

At a recent triple wedding held in the Park Hotel, three brothers, Messrs. Su Chao-yin, Su Chao-hsiung and Su Chao-hao, married the Misses Chow Yeh-yin, Chen Hui-cheng and Chang Chin.—*Bann's Studio.*

Mr. and Mrs. Chang Feng-chu were married at the Park Hotel on October 27.—*Bann's Studio.*



Mr. D. D. Henchman and Miss Ruth Winstanley were married at H.M. Consulate on October 30. Attending were Mr. K. J. Larby and Miss Kathleen Rea.—"*N.-C.D.N.*" *Photo.*

Dr. D. I. Kasakoff and his bride, Miss L. S. Glushenoff-Favorsky. They were married on Monday in the Russian Commercial School Church.—*Belkin Photo.*

Miss Vera Goldfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Josepho-Shick, was married last month to Mr. J. Gorlovsky.—*Josepho Photo.*

Mr. G. Herzel, Shanghai secretary of the Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.—*Bann's Studio.*

Dr. J. P. Todd is in charge of the First International Red Cross Hospital.—*Bann's Studio.*

Miss B. Aksakoff became the bride of Mr. V. Menshikoff on Monday. —*Josepho Studio.*

Miss Annie Chen married Mr. Lee Tsu-chien last month.—*William's Studio.*

Miss Lily K. V. Chao, recent bride of Mr. Livy S. T. Wha.—*William's Studio.*

Mr. Jan Seba, new Czechoslovakian Minister to China, who arrived recently.—*Belkin Studio.*

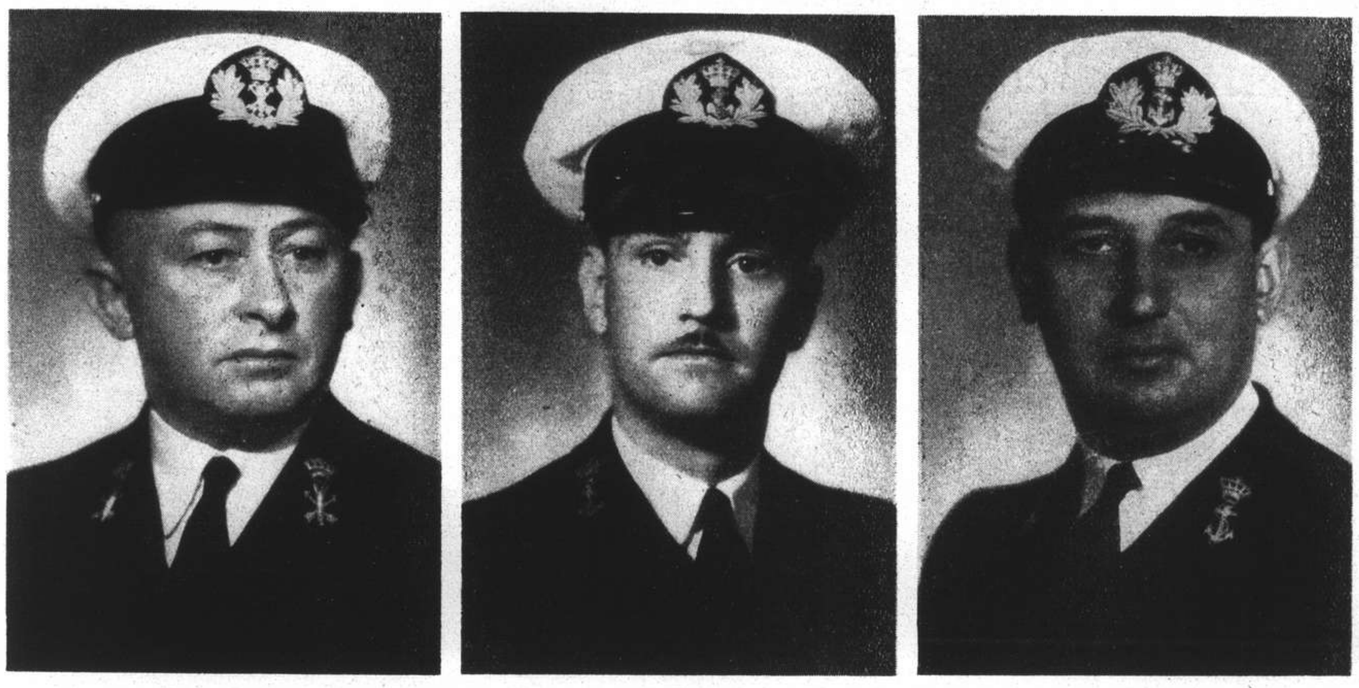
Mr. R. West, who has just returned from holiday.—*Belkin Studio.*

Miss Teresia Wen, niece of Mr. Wen Tsung-yao.—*Bann's Studio.*

Miss Chao Han-yin, sister of Col. W. H. Chao.—*Bann's Studio.*

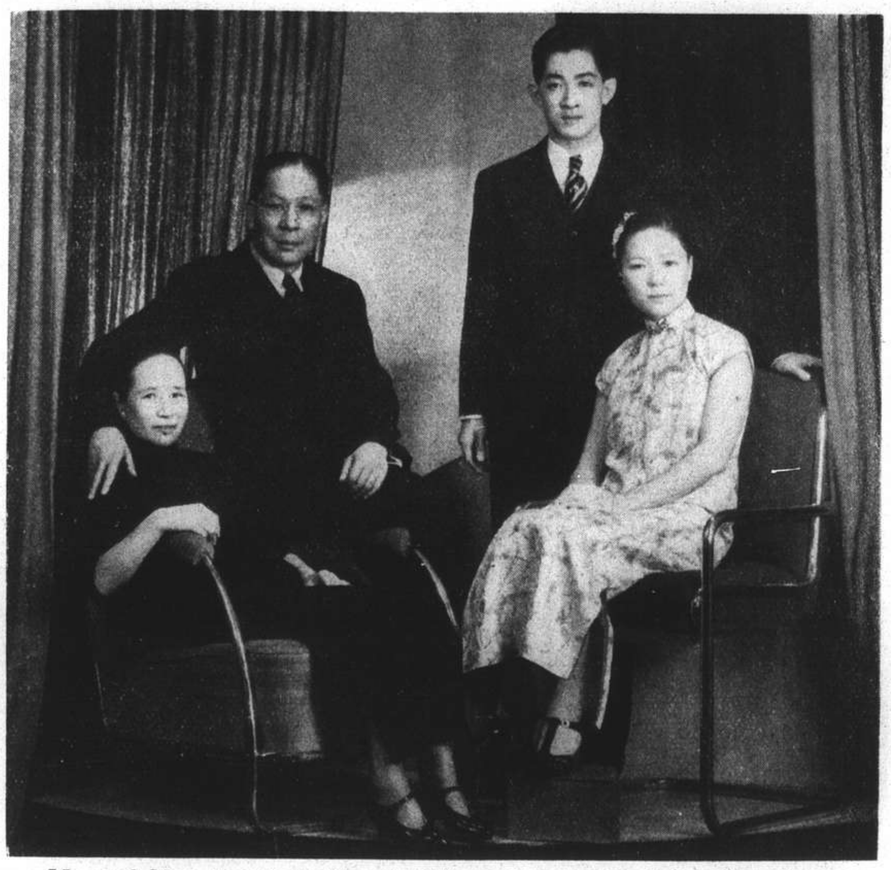
About Shanghai People

Some Telephone Company employees, who took part in the emergency—Signalman J. H. F. Ladd, Cpl. A. C. Sinclair, Co.-Sgt.-Maj. H. F. Pringle, Inspr. K. M. Pate, 2nd.-Lieut. H. Graham, Sgt. J. W. Dearn, Cpl. L. Ardain and Cpl. E. D. Kazek.—*Philip's Studio.*



Among the officers of the Netherlands cruiser Van Galen are (l.-r.) Lieut.-Cmdr. J. van Rugge, Lieut.-Cmdr. J. G. Broekhuysen and Lieut.-Cmdr. J. Houtsmiller, who commands the ship.—*Bann's Studio.*

The Shanghai Association of Chinese Women's Societies entertained foreign women leaders recently. At the speaker's table are Mmes O. K. Yui, Herman Liu, S. Y. Chen and Miss Tsao-yi Zia.—*Bann's Studio.*

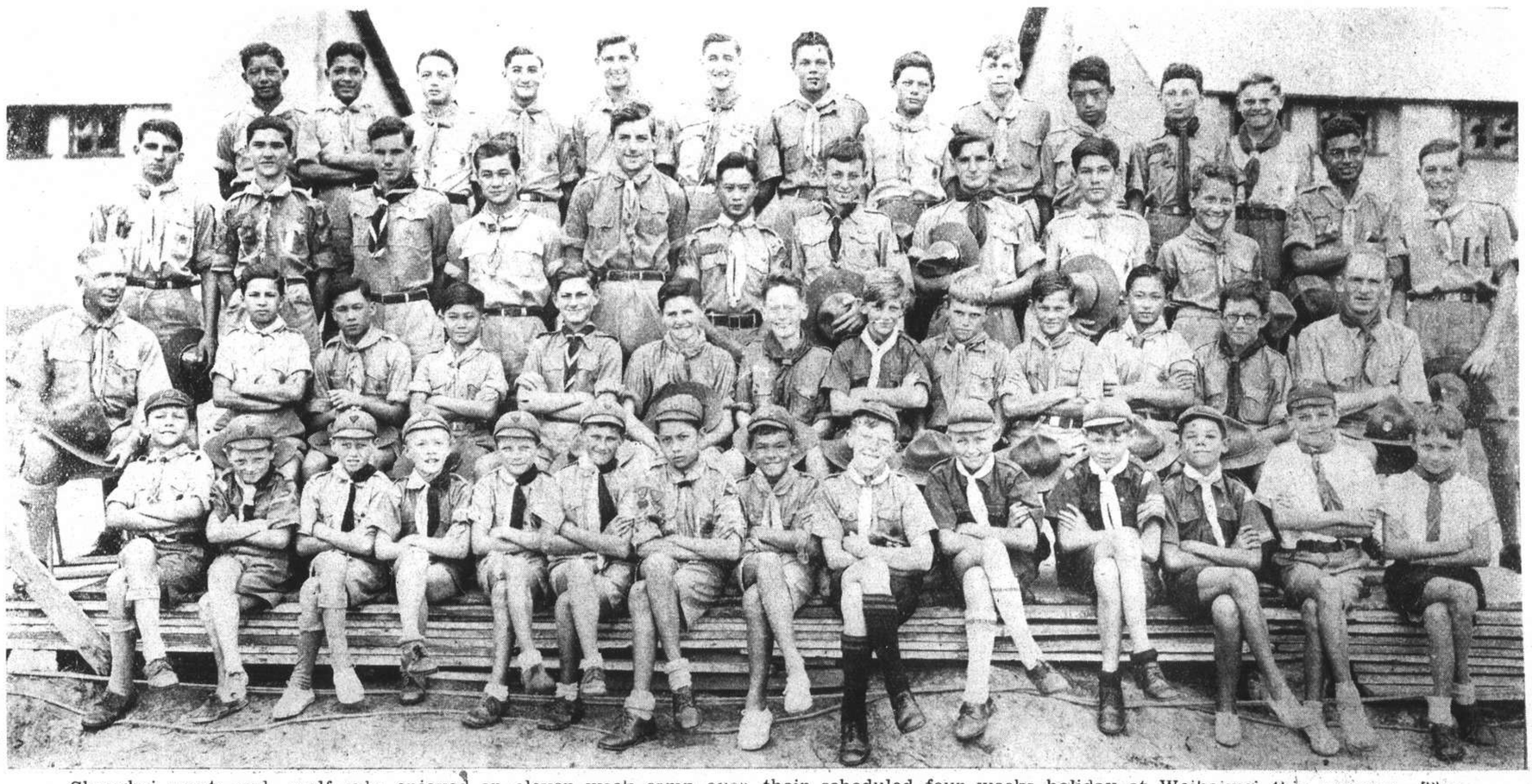


Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Chu (right) were married at the American Consulate General on October 26—left, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lai, parents of the bride.—*William's Studio.*

Dr. and Mrs. Li Sung, who arrived in the Andre Lebon recently. Dr. Li is assisting the wounded Chinese soldiers.—*Bann's Studio.*

Mr. and Mrs. A. Codsi, Shanghai residents, who recently returned from holidays spent in France.—*Josepho Studio.*

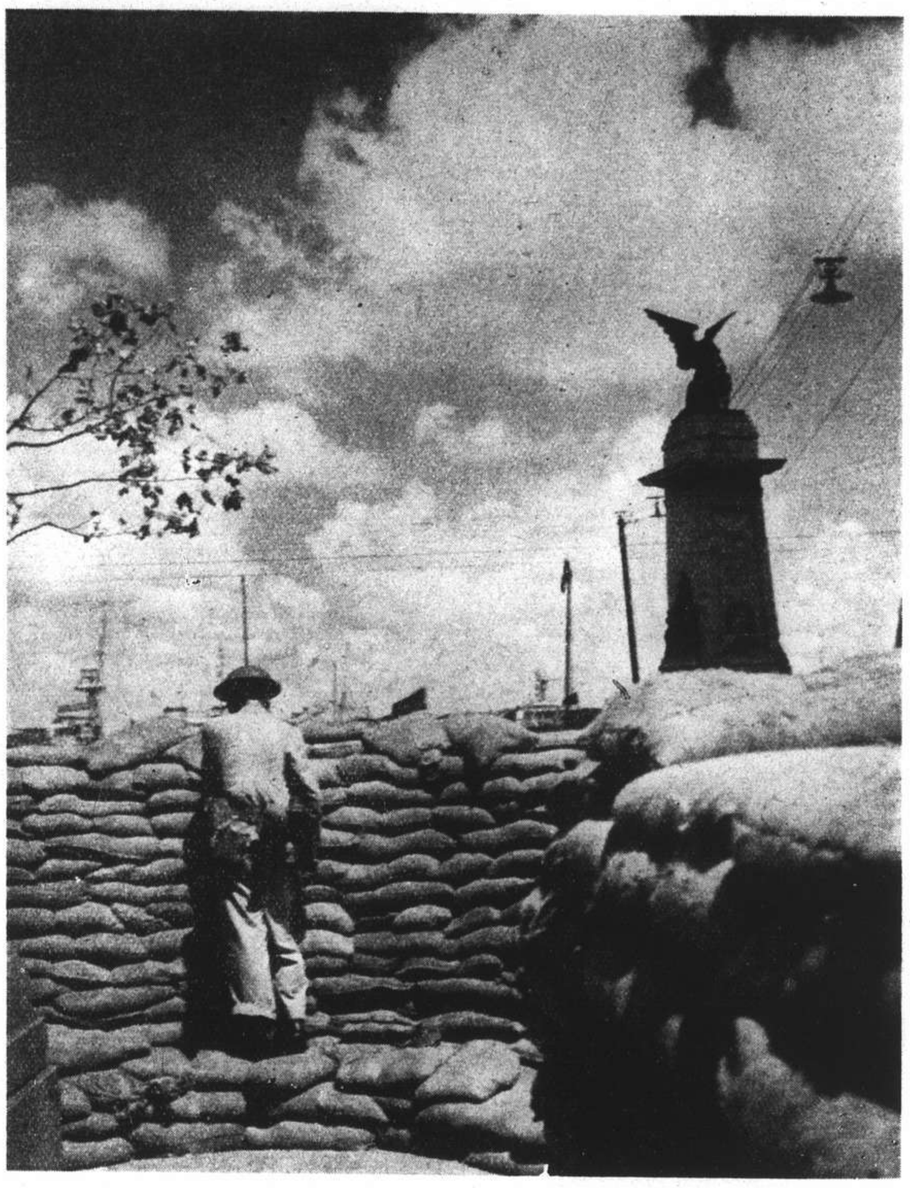
Mr. L. R. Schinazi, newly elected commander of the American Legion (Frederick Ward Post No. 1) in Shanghai.



Shanghai scouts and wolf cubs enjoyed an eleven-week camp over their scheduled four weeks holiday at Weihaiwei this summer. The boys represented in the picture are members of various troops and packs in the Association. Seated at the extreme ends in the second row are (right) Assistant Commissioner W. J. Silvey, the Camp Chief, and, (left) Assistant Commissioner A. H. Gordon, Deputy Camp Chief. The boys, with hardly any mail from Shanghai kept up with the news by signalling the British men-of-war in harbour.

"N.-C.D.N." "Incident" Competition

Jar Chapei Burning.—*Kodak Box.*



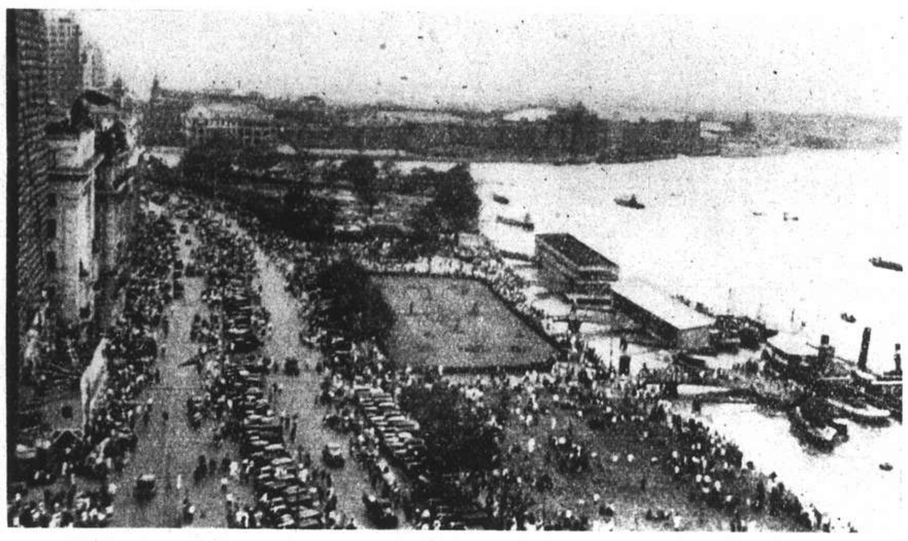
Tino War All in Vain.—*Ikonta.*

T. A. Hultman A Hot Spot Indeed.—*Contax.*

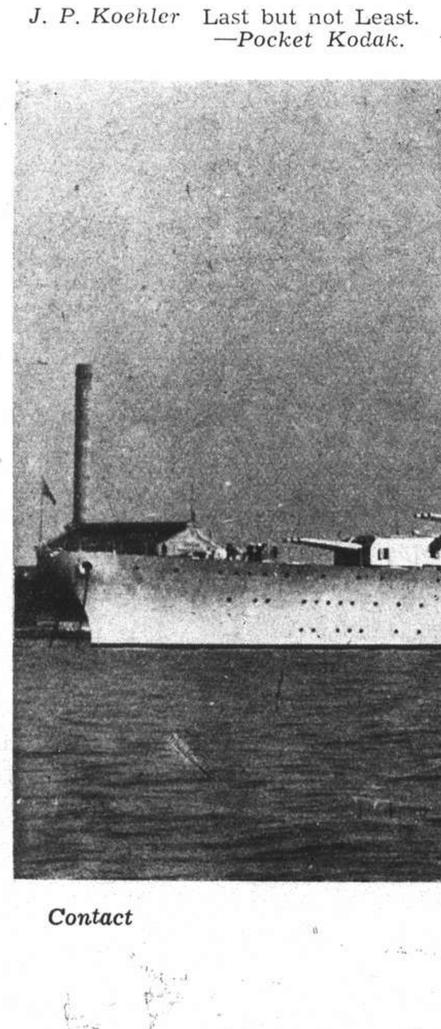
COMPETITION

The number of entries in the "N.-C.D.N." "Incident" Competition is more than gratifying, while the standard of the pictures submitted speaks well for the skill and zeal of local amateurs. Those published on this page will be judged on November 25, together with others received. Additional pictures will be published from time to time. Full details of the competition appear in the advertising columns of this issue.

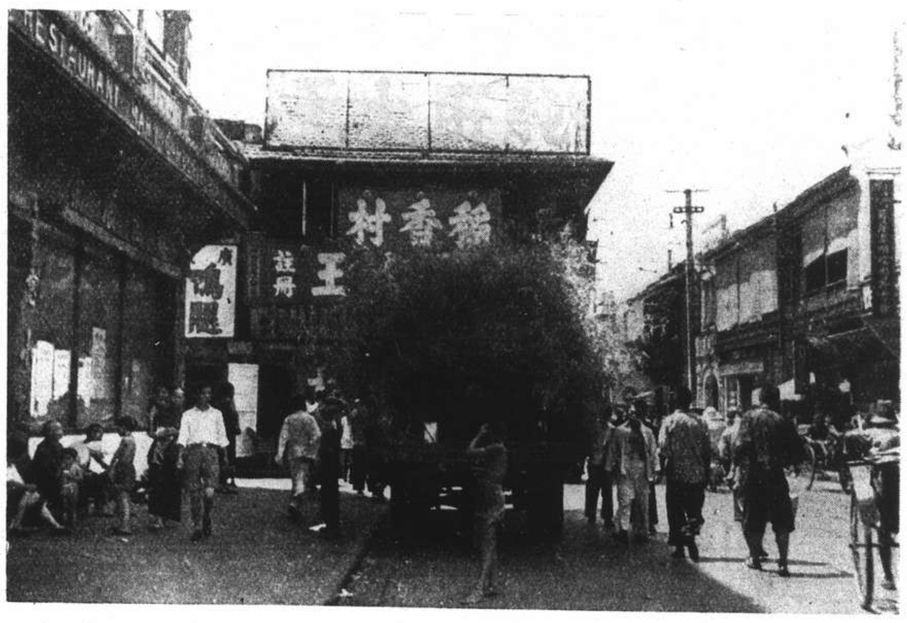
T. A. Hultman Horror.—*Contax.*



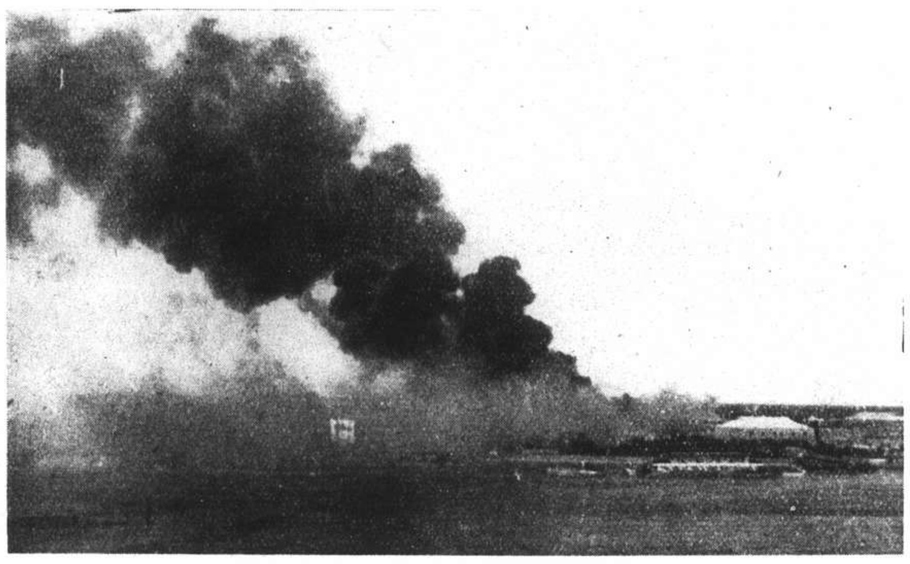
Veteran The Bund on August 13.—*Leica.*



J. P. Koehler Last but not Least.
—*Pocket Kodak.*



Amateur Camouflage.—*Leica.*



Two-timer Oil Below.—*Leica.*

Solo Directing Traffic.—*Kodak.*

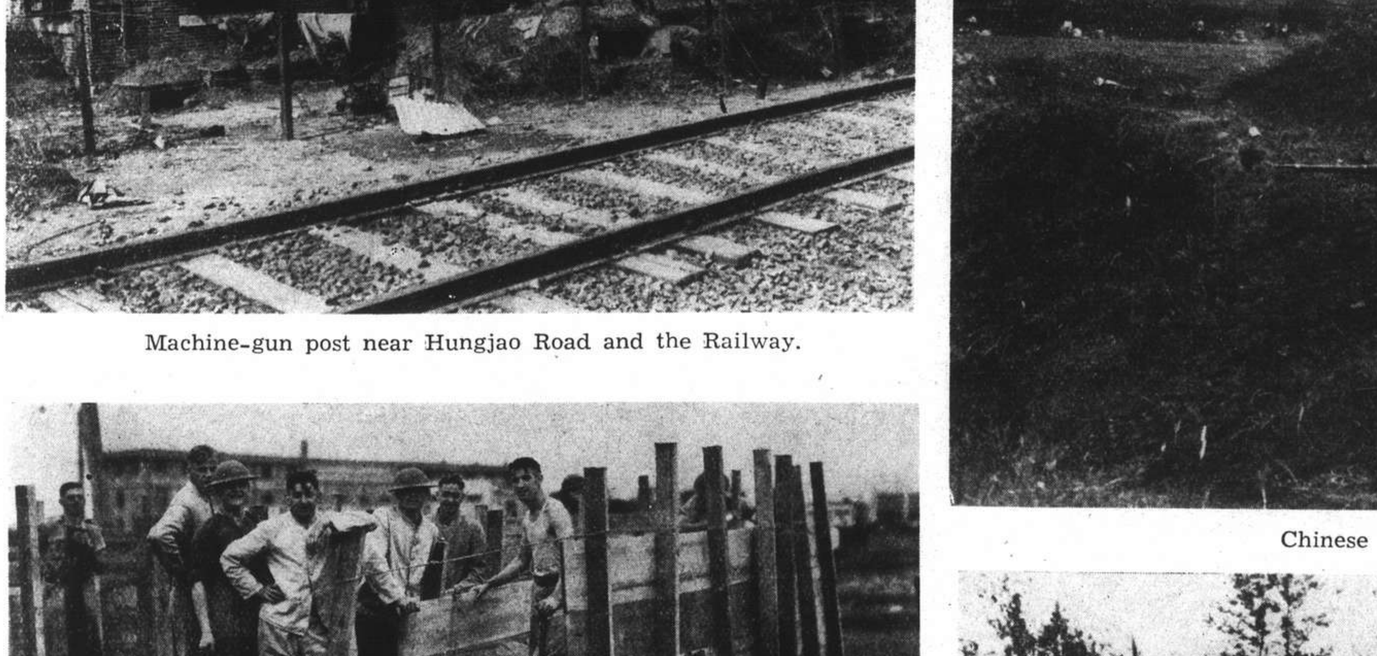
Contact Augusta Serene.—*Rolleiflex.*

In Western Environs

"N.-C. D. N." Photos

Machine-gun post near Hungjao Road and the Railway.

Troops taking a moment off.



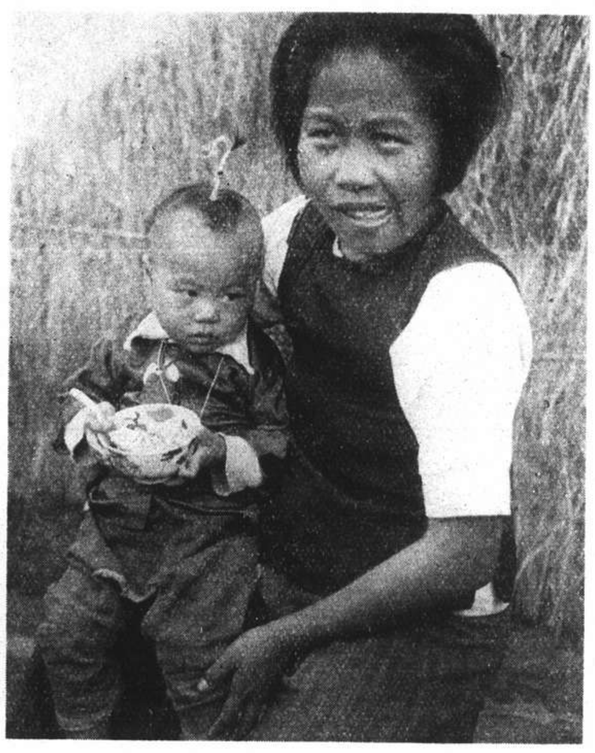
British observation post on the West Park Mansions.

Chinese trenches several hundred yards beyond the tracks.

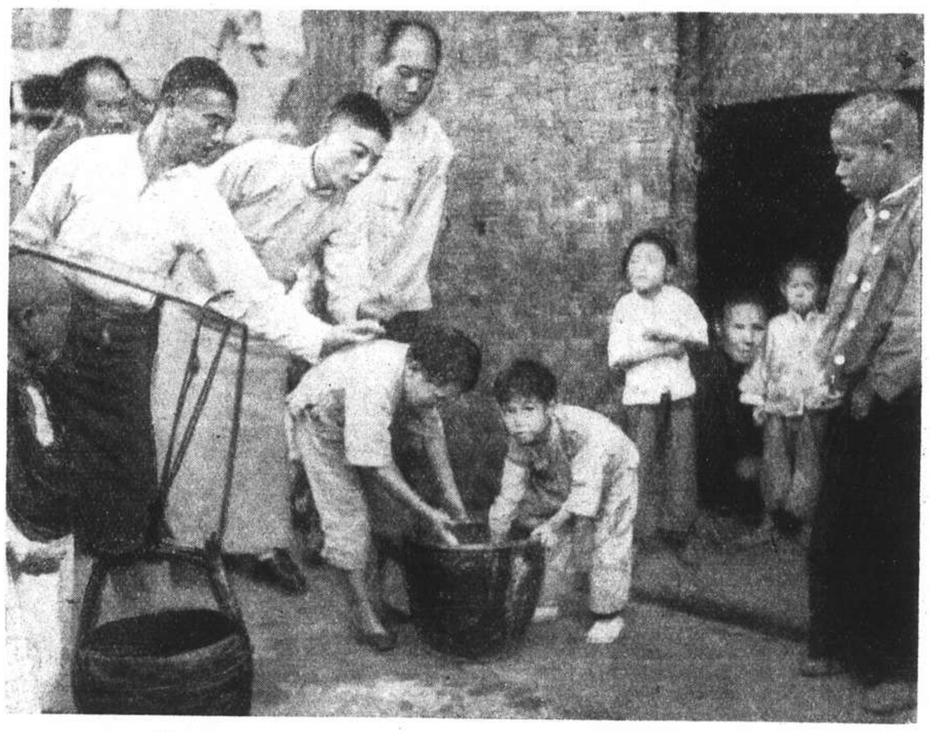
Secondary Chinese defence not far beyond the railway.

Refugees along the perimeter.

Fathers supervise Siccawei refugee work.



Refugees at Siccawei.



Water is a problem among 7,000 Siccawei refugees.

Chinese lorry drivers returning to the Chinese lines.

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